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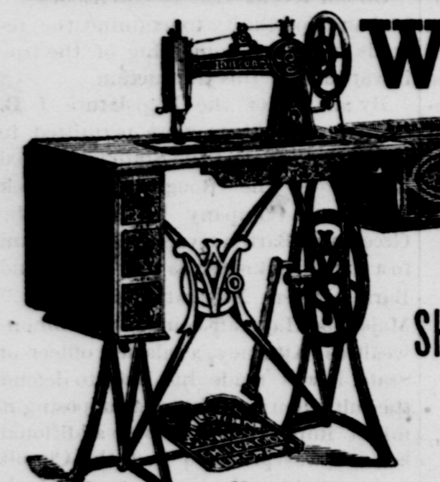
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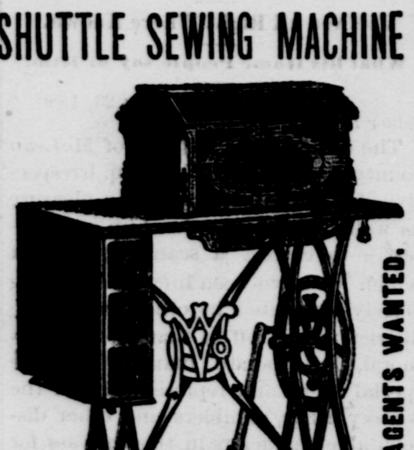
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A CARD

From the Chairman of the District Democratic Committee.

As Chairman of the District Committee of the 4th Judicial District I have tebored pretty faithfully, I think, in laying to get the Democracy of the district to unite in purpose and action, so that success might attend them. There is but one trouble in the district, and only one; and that is, that Major Haycraft was not before the primary election. Now the question arises, *why was he not before it?* This is the question, and the only one to be answered. The Major answers it by saying that I got him out of the primary, that I alone did it; had it not been for me he would have remained in the primary and abided its decision. The way he says I did it was this: that in a letter I sent him and Jos. Noe I said, "that it was my opinion that unless all the counties in the district unite in the primary election, under the call of the District Committee, there would be no election as contemplated by the District Committee, and the real spirit, intent and object of the call and of the primary election for the 3rd day of July will be defeated." That opinion of mine with regard to the defeat of the primary, struck the Major with such force that it completely overwhelmed him—swallowed him up root and branch—so that there was not a vestige of him left before the primary. I don't suppose that any man's opinion ever had such influence over him as mine did. He says that my opinion got him off. He says he desired to remain in the primary. That opinion was quite destructive to the Major. It is a great pity that he ever came in contact with it.

I have some other opinions, but I don't expect for any or all of them to have any effect on the Major, because the words "defeat, and defeat the primary," &c., will not appear in them. I will name a few of them: 1st. *That the Major ought to have remained before the primary, and not bolted.* 2nd. *That after having bolted, he acknowledges his wrong by blaming somebody else for his own doing.* 3rd. *That the Major played quite a shrewd hand in getting the opinion that carried him so completely away from Democratic rule.*

I will now make some statements with regard to that letter. In the first place, I NEVER WROTE THAT LETTER; nor went for or hunted any one up to write it. *I never knew that there was such a letter desired, or being gotten up,* until I met Mr. Henry Tompkins on the street in Owensboro one morning. He spoke to me, and said that he had been hunting for me all the morning. He spoke of the letter he had, and we walked on to the office of Mr. Ollie Haynes, and he there drew out the letter and read it. Mr. Haynes was present, and we talked a short time about it, and thought it a very good thing to have the Committee of Ohio county called upon by both candidates in a joint letter requesting them to call a primary. And, upon the whole, it was a very nice letter, and I authorized the signing of it.

But after giving it some thought and meditation I saw that I had done wrong. The doctrine contained in the latter part of that letter I don't believe now, and never did, after having proper time to reflect. It is not Democratic. It is just saying that a few committeemen of a county may defeat the will and wishes of the Democracy of the district whenever they choose to do so, by refusing to call a primary election, though all the other counties in the district may have heartily gone into it. The doctrine is, that one or two men may govern the whole district. According to this doctrine Gov. Blackburn did not receive the nomination as a candidate for Governor of Kentucky, because from some counties there were no delegations in the nominating convention. While talking about the letter that morning Mr. Tompkins said that he knew that Mr. Haycraft would endorse that letter, but did not know as to what the other candidate would do. In a few days after I saw Mr. Haycraft, and in conversation with him, I asked him if he had not seen that letter before I did. He said no. I then asked him how Mr. Tompkins knew that he would sign that letter? He said that he requested Mr. Tompkins to see me and get my opinion with regard to the primary, should only three counties unite in it. Now comes in the interesting letter. My objections to which were known to Major Haycraft's friends soon after the signing, and as early as Tuesday before the primary.

In this letter the opinion is fixed up for me to give, and in writing at that, and it is coupled on to one of the most solemn requests I ever made in my life, calling upon these two candidates to write a joint letter to the Committee of Ohio county to get them to make the call for the primary. This is right, it is just, I stand by it yet; but here comes the opinion, that unless the Committee of Ohio county proceed under the call, the primary will be defeated. It was this opinion that was wanted instead of the request for the Ohio County Committee to act, for Major Haycraft had already twice presented to Mr. Noe such a letter as was mentioned in my communication, and he knew from Mr. Noe's refusal both times that he would not sign it, and knew it before he ever presented my communication to Mr. Noe, who, of course, continued to refuse to be caught in this way. He was just too sharp to sign any such letter, and I give him credit for it. My communication was simply intended to induce the Ohio County Committee to do its duty, was not made for public use, and was not designed to assume the right to sit in judgment on the action of my Democratic brethren, when I had no such right as an individual. Major Haycraft had no right to make public use of it for his private advantage and the injury of the party. The same principle that was put in my letter for me, was stuck in Mr. Haycraft's joint letter for Mr. Noe to sign—(the defeat of the primary, &c.) *But they did hold a primary election in Ohio county.* The call was made by a minority of the committee, and the State Central Committee have endorsed what they did. So they are backed by the highest Democratic authority in the State. I am glad to know that the primary election was a success in every county in the District, giving to the Democracy of the District Democratic nominees for its support at the next August election. This much I say in vindication of my action and for the sake of Democratic harmony, leaving the public to draw their own conclusions as to whether I misled Major Haycraft, or whether he pursued the design of a letter written at his own suggestion and for his own private purposes. I have no personal feeling in the matter, having been for Major Haycraft while he was a candidate before the primary, and I submit this explanation in order that Democrats may not be misled.

ED. L. JONES.

THE population of Barren county is 21,985.

DISTRICT CANDIDATES.

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The Executive Committee of this Judicial district, met in Owensboro on last Saturday, to receive the poll-books of the primary election held on the 3rd inst., and to declare the result. The counties of Ohio, McLean and Daviess were represented, and a letter from the chairman of the committee for this county, was on hand, giving the result. After examining the poll books, the committee by resolution declared L. P. Little as the Democratic nominee for Circuit Judge and Joe Noe for Commonwealth's Attorney.

The non-action of the majority of the county committee of Ohio county, was timely rebuked by the minority, as well as the State Central Committee, and a regular primary election was held there. The pretext afforded by the recreancy of the majority of the committee in Ohio for Joe Haycraft to bolt the primary was effectually destroyed by the gallant Democracy in that county. It was perhaps much to his misfortune that he committed this mistake, but having done it, he must *per* necessity abide it. If he yields to the declared results of the primary, his political future will be preserved to him, but if he shall persist in making the race, he will be *eternally* damned with the regular Democracy. He cannot escape the attitude of bolter, and any Democrat who supports him against the regular nominee, will lay himself open to the imputation of a disorganizer, and a very poor sort of a Democrat. The same may be said of those Democrats who may support Judge Stuart. Whilst Judge Stuart is not liable to be called a bolter, he occupies a hostile opposition to party organization, and in as much as no party can be surely effective without party discipline, he is nothing less than a disorganizer. If he, Stuart, is a Democrat, as some insist he is, he is a very poor one, and by arraying himself against the best interests, and assuming to oppose the wisest counsels of the party, he evinces an utter disregard of the party organization. His own personal ends, constitute his party interests. Party organization and success, with such men, are always secondary to their own personal ambition. No party can afford to accommodate such political adventurers. Only such partisans as are trained to accept the will of their party, are entitled to support for place or office. The future good organization of the Democratic party in this district is largely dependent upon a full, free vindication of the action of the party authorities, and the overwhelming defeat of Stuart and Haycraft. Every true Democrat will have an opportunity to put himself upon record at the August election, and every truculent one will have an opportunity to *brand* himself, and to be continuously marked by the true Democrat henceforward. We sincerely trust that few, if any, will thus immolate themselves. We know that friendly ties are oft times very strong, but we likewise know that no man has the right to demand that his personal friend shall make a sacrifice of his political manhood upon the altar of personal friendship, and no real manly Democrat will do it. Messrs. Little and Noe are good men, are in every sense qualified for the positions to which they are nominated, and are well worthy every Democratic vote in the district, and will doubtless get every true one. The party in this district demands it. The personal interest of every true member demands it, and the true Democrats from Maine to Texas demand it. Let every man be true to his party, to his manhood and his country, if he would be approved by his conscience, his countrymen and his God.—*Hawesville Plaindealer.*

The Primary Governs Democrats.

The issues between the Democratic and Independent candidates are made up. The primary has declared distinctly in favor of Little for Judge and Noe for Commonwealth's Attorney.

As to the race for Judge there has been no complication. The issue is between a Democrat, eminently qualified and endorsed by a Democratic primary election, and a gentleman whose excellent and agreeable qualities cannot obscure the fact that he is not a Democrat and does not claim to be. Democrats, however, strong in their personal ties to the Independent candidate, and, however much they may attempt to persuade others to vote against the nominee will generally plant their votes on the record for the Democratic candidate. Getting their neighbors on the wrong side of the record is a small matter to them, but clouding their own record is quite a different thing. Aside from the few who are bound by special ties to the Independent candidate, and a few who suffer themselves to be led astray by those who are pointing others to a path they dare not pursue themselves, there will be no Democratic votes lost to the Democratic nominee for Judge.

As to the race for Commonwealth's Attorney, the nomination has made there too with entire validity. Mr. Noe is the nominee as surely as is Judge Little, and as rightly as if Major Haycraft had never been a Democrat, nor ever went before the primary election, which has rendered a verdict that cannot be successfully attacked.

The only pretense now found for an objection is the letter of Ed. Jones. A little information as to the manner in which this came forth will soon remove it. It was prepared by a partizan of Major Haycraft at his request, was adroitly worded, was presented to Mr. Jones while on a hurried visit to Owensboro, and its signing urged by Major Haycraft's friends. *It was not even signed by Mr. Jones,* although the signing was authorized. Mr. Jones understood that it was to be presented to both candidates, and with their letters presented to the Ohio county committee simply to induce them to do their duty. He had no right in advance, and we are sure did not intend, to assume the privilege of prejudging the situation. Indeed, so soon as he sufficiently considered the effect of the letter and saw that it was made an instrument for disorganizing the Democracy he disclaimed the error it contained and insisted that the non-action of Ohio county could not silence the Democrats of the whole district. This was known to Major Haycraft's friends several days before the primary election, as was the fact that Ohio county would at all events hold her primary in spite of the treachery of some of her committeemen. The effort to hold Mr. Jones responsible for Major Haycraft's unfortunate attitude is too thin. Rather should Major Haycraft and his overshrewd managers be held responsible for the mistake first made, then honestly confessed and disavowed by Mr. Jones.

But whatever may have been the action of Mr. Jones it could not affect the result. Any one familiar with Democratic usage or the reason of the subject, knows that the fiat of Mr. Jones alone did not and does not govern the subject. Even if it did, the only conditions on which he ever indicated that the primary would not be according to the spirit and intent of the call, do not and did not exist in the primary. Ohio did hold her convention as directed by the District Committee, the sole authority for making the call, and as endorsed by the State Central Committee, the final judge of the legitimacy of the proceedings under the call.

There is therefore no foundation for any valid objection to the action of the primary election, and nowhere, except it be in the action of Mr. Jones, the Chairman of the District Committee is there any pretense for an objection? And such as is claimed in his action was deliberately planned by those who are seeking to derive benefit from it at the expense of the party.

We hope these things will be considered thoughtfully by Democrats and, as they are surely written, with an eye single to the interests of the Democracy.—*Messenger and Examiner.*

Litchfield, Kentucky.

Editor Herald:

LITCHFIELD, KY., July 15th, '80.

Ain't it hot, though?

Look out for yellow fever, or some other kind. Keep plenty of disinfectant on hand, and use it freely.

Wheat crop badly damaged by the long rains; that in the shock during the rains is badly sprouted, and a great deal in the stock became heated, and is badly injured.

Farmers are making hay this week. Meadows are tolerably good in Grayson.

Last Monday was the day for the National Greenback party of Grayson to hold their meeting. I don't know whether the call was for a convention or not, any way they held none, but about two dozen of the faithful, with a small sprinkling of Democrats and Republicans, come together in the courthouse after dinner, and a regular Greenback love feast was held, or rather a love Greenback feast, for where is the man who don't love to have plenty of them? Mr. Lev Green, our ex-representative from Grayson, opened the "meetin" and took the stand, and refreshed the brethren for about an hour with the rehearsal of the most orthadox fiat money principles. Mr. Green took the position that the redeemable quality of a bank note was not what made it valuable, or give it the quality of money, but that it was the stamp of the government and the law making it legal tender. He illustrated this by a reference to gold or silver in the bullion form before it is coined, then it is not money nor legal tender, and you can't force a man to take it. That is the logic of it. Now about the facts: If Mr. Green was right that it takes the stamp of the government and legal tender law to make money out of either paper or gold or silver, then I suppose that one would be just as valuable as the other without that stamp, but I apprehend Mr. Green would have to labor hard to induce men to sell gold or silver bullion for its weight in paper bullion. The fact is, the paper of any individual, corporation, or State, is not valuable nor can it be made so without the promise to pay or redeem, and the specie back of it in a sufficient quantity to make the promise good. After Mr. Green was through, the crowd called for Ham Parrish, Esq., but Uncle Dave Mercer was already on the stand and loaded to the muzzle with a speech, and as he had the advantage in being on the stand, he beat Mr. Parrish in opening fire, so Sam had to subside till Uncle Dave got through, which was when the crowd got tired and retired all but a few, who remained to call Mr. P. out, he now took the stand and delivered a forcible speech in advocacy of fiat money he took the same ground with Mr. Green, but he and Uncle Dave did not agree, and when the truth came out, Uncle Dave was on last years platform. He had not seen the confession of faith, when Mr. Parrish brought that out Uncle Dave grew sour and left the room. Mr. Wortham was also called out and made a rousing speech for greenbacks, and Uncle Dave came in and took the stand again, but being a year behind his party, he was cried down. The district convention of the Greenback party will meet at Elizabethtown next Monday to nominate a candidate for Congress. It is thought Mr. Green, of this county, will probably be the candidate.

The enumerators for Grayson county have not all brought in their books yet, but enough have done so to enable us to make an estimate of the population of the county. It will be not far from fifteen thousand five hundred—an increase of about four thousand since 1880. Suppose every county in the State had increased at that ratio, the total increase for the State would be more than 400,000, but instead of that, I have seen the statement somewhere that the population of the State has decreased since the last decennial. If this be so, what's the matter? If Texas could increase her population more than a million in that time, why should we with unlimited resources of soil and minerals and timber and with more navigable rivers than any other State in the Union. Why should we decrease? I state the question and leave it to statesmen and politicians to answer.

The newly elected board of trustees for our town have this week purchased the old stone jail from Mr. Grayson, and intend tearing it down and using the stone on the streets. The trustees will receive the gratitude of all the citizens of our town for this politic action. As Mr Grayson has for a long time in total disregard of the sense of decency and good morals of the community kept a family of prostitutes in the old building under the guise of their having bought the property from him. The community will now be rid of this den of infamy. Thanks to the board of trustees.

Hon. Ed. Butler, of Brandenburg, has withdrawn from the race for Commonwealth's Attorney.

George Cubbage has withdrawn from the race for Clerk of the Circuit Court. Mr. C. says he withdraws, not at the solicitation nor in the interest of either of the other candidates, but at his own option. That is right.

Hon. Mr. Mercer, of Hardinsburg, was in town this week, and also his competitor for Commonwealth's Attorney, Mr. McIntyre, of Brownsville. Hon. Will Haynes, of this place, running for same office, returned home yesterday evening.

Young Manix, mentioned in my letter last week as low with typhoid fever, died last Friday morning. The family are certainly deserving of the sympathies of the entire community, as this is the second son they have lost this year—both of them young men about grown to manhood.

The construction train on the P. & E. railroad has been at work here for a week past grading a dirt road at the side of the switch, so that freight can be loaded or unloaded into a wagon without the wagon standing across the railroad track as has been heretofore the case.

Lay in your sunstrokes for next winter during these hot days.

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Centertown Items.

CENTERTOWN, KY., July 19, 1880.

Editor Herald:

Wheat threshing and meadow mowing is the order of the day now. Cass Morton has started out on his accustomed beat, and will doubtless cut seventy-five or a hundred acres of grass. Ed Ashley & Co. and Noel Tichenor & Co. are both lively threshing men and will soon have the wheat all threshed. Corn and tobacco is looking tolerable well. They begin to need rain a little.

We have been troubled with flux and other bowel complaints for the last several weeks.

Sam Bishop is teaching vocal music at Miller's school house. His school promises to be one of interest. The singing under the leadership of J. Burks Wade, at this place, closed out yesterday.

A. G. Rowe, of Spring Lick, spent several days at his father's, W. P. Rowe, recently.

Miss Mander Wade and Miss Sudie Jones were in attendance at the ball and picnic at Sulphur Springs on the 10th inst. They were well pleased with their trip.

Miss Mander Wade's three month's school will close out this week. Miss Mander has been quite successful in teaching.

The young people had an enjoyable time at Mr. S. W. Jones' Saturday night. The time was spent in social talk, laughing, &c., interspersed with sweet music.

Mr. Dee Rowe, of Spring Lick, is visiting his father's, Geo. Rowe. Dee will spend several days with us.

One Wheeler Ivott and Miss Sarah Tooley were married yesterday at the residence of the bride's father, Thos. Tooley.

A little child of Pete Tooley and one of Mrs. Cynthia Calloway died a week ago with flux.

Very humbly, &c.,
SNOOKS.

Hoover Hill Hash.

HOOVER HILL, July 19, 1880.

Editor Herald:

HYMENIAL.

Mr. Felix Webb and Miss Annie Riggs, of near Shinkle Chapel, were married at the residence of Mr. I. Hipsley, by the Rev. Mr. Elliott, Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Quite a number of friends and acquaintances were present, who with the young couple attended immediately after the nuptials religious exercises at Beda. The groom is a son of Mr. Achilles Webb, and is known for his industrious and thorough going habits, while the bride is none the less noted as an accomplished, pure-hearted young lady. May a long life of happiness and prosperity be theirs, is our wish.

CASUALTIES.

Mr. Commodore Westerfield while at work with his thresher one day last week, by some cause came in contact with one of the wheels, which caught his pants and did not stop until it had deprived him of the last thread of this esteemed blessing. Mr. Westerfield managed to prevent any bodily injury in the operation, and while we congratulate him on that point, we can deeply sympathize with a man when he loses his "dear old" breeches.

Mr. James C. Hoover hurt his side right severely in a lift one day last week, which for a short time confined him to his bed. We are glad to see him out again.

Mr. Wm. Johnson fell backward off a high fense a few days since, pulling a few rails on top of him, hurting his neck not very slightly. Uncle Bill's pride reminds me of the first paper color I ever wore, my neck like his seemingly lost a great deal of its flexibility then.

PUERILIS GAUDIUM.

Sunny Hill.

SUNNY HILL, July 11, 1880.

Editor Herald:

The recent rain has done considerable damage to the corn crop, especially in bottom land. Wheat and oats were also damaged, but the sun the last few days has dried out the grain, and farmers are more hopeful. Corn on upland looks fine and promises a fair yield. Potato crop, both early Irish and sweet are looking finer than I ever saw in this vicinity.

Mr. T. J. Lowe contemplates moving West this fall. Mr. Lowe is a good citizens, and would be missed from the vicinity in which he lives. Mr. J. C. Park also expects to seek his fortune in a new country soon.

Messrs. J. A. Park and Cornelius Hoover left last week, each with a large raft bound for Evansville.

Success to the HERALD. P. D. T.

Urey Right.

This thing of ignoring politics in local races has served to weaken the strength of our party and disorganize our forces. What we want is to hew right up to the Democratic line, letting the chips fall where they may, and when victory is ours we can then honestly shout for joy at the vindication of the principles of our dear old party.—*Echo.*

Millwood Musings.

July 13th, 1880.

Editor Herald:

Warm—sultry—hot.

Farmers are threshing their grain. The turn out will not be amazingly large, owing to the damage caused by recent rains.

Mrs. H. K. Wells has returned from a short visit to Elizabethtown.

Millwood academy reopened its doors Monday—fair attendance.

Charley Wells will please accept our thanks for the basket of nice peaches sent us.

Little Jimmie Ward, a three-year-old grand-son of Rev. Jas. Ward, living near here, narrowly escaped death a few days since. The little fellow was playing near a well, when a misstep sent him tumbling into the water. The timely appearance of his mother upon the scene was all that saved him.

Mr. Ward McDonald, an old and highly respected gentleman, living near here, died last Thursday—Malarial fever.

Mr. E. Q. Parrish, of this place, is confined to his room with Typhoid fever.

Last Sunday morning a spring wagon containing four mournful looking individuals might have been seen moving slowly Eastward. The curiosity of our people was fully aroused and bets were freely offered as to the identity and destination of the party. Excited little knots of citizens gathered on the corners, and speculation was rife in regard to the unwonted circumstance. All at once the why and the wherefore of this unparalleled excursion burst like a thunder clap upon the minds of our green inhabitants. The Greenback delegates on their way to the convention—Elizabethtown, July 19.

The Democrats of the county will give an old-fashioned Kentucky barbecue at Millwood about the last of the month. Among other features, a beautiful campaign banner will be unfurled to the breeze. Prominent men will be invited to address the people.

A number of our citizens went to Litchfield on the 21.

JUNE ELIOT.

Rockport Chin-music.

ROCKPORT, July 17.

Editor Herald:

The given name of Mr. Broomfield, who had his arm severed on the 13th inst., an account of which I telegraphed you, should have been Nathan instead of Mason. But for the timely aid of Mr. George Downing, Mr. Broomfield would have been killed. The saw cut his hat and also a lock of his hair. Mr. Downing says that it required all his strength to pull Mr. B. off the saw. From the fact that Dr. Layton did such a neat job in amputating his arm, and dressing it, he is doing well.

One of our citizens, Mr. McClure, who has been sawing for Dr. Jackson, has accepted a position as sawyer at a mill over in Hoosierdom, at $4 per day. He left last Wednesday.

Three of the boys went out last Saturday eve to jump off the bridge. Two of them were Republicans and one Democrat. The Republicans wouldn't jump till the Democrat jumped first. The Democrat wouldn't jump unless one of the Republicans would jump first. They finally agreed to fall back, take shelter behind Judge Rutledge, set 'em up, and say no more about. It was no fifteen puzzle—it was, in fact, no puzzle at all. Zibe says he doesn't want the *Evening Post* to get hold of it.

James W. Cook is quite sick this week.

Died, on the 14th inst., little Girtie R. Powell, infant daughter of W. B. Powell.

M. W. J.

All Regular.

Let it be kept before the people that the primary election was held in Ohio county under the approved order of two of the County Committee. That the State Central Committee, which is the grand council of the party in Kentucky, and which committee have been clothed with power to adjust all difficulties arising in the party and having the Ohio case before them, decided that when a majority of a County Committee failed or refused to act, that the minority then had power to act. The primary then was regular.—*Plaindealer.*

Not a Beverage.

"They are not a beverage, but a medicine, with curative properties of the highest degree, containing no poor whiskey or poisonous drugs. They do not tear down an already debilitated system, but build it up. One bottle contains more hops, that is, more real hop strength, than a barrel of ordinary beer. Every druggist in Rochester sells them, and the physicians prescribe them."—*Evening Express on Hop Bitters.*

There are two documents which make the best campaign thunder ever thrown out by any party: The letter of Gen. Hancock to the vagabond carpet-bag Governor of Texas and the letter of Samuel Jones Tilden to the Democracy of the Nation withdrawing his name from consideration as a candidate.

MONEY is now being made faster than ever by those at work for us. Persons of either sex can make $66 a week in their own town if they are willing to work. No risk. $5 outfit free. Anyone can run the business. Capital not required. All who engage prosper. No one fails. Particulars free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. 29-1y

THE HERALD.

JNO. P. BARRETT, - - - EDITOR.

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1880.

Democratic National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,
GEN. WINFIELD S. HANCOCK,
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT
WILLIAM H. ENGLISH,
OF INDIANA.

ELECTORS FOR THE STATE AT LARGE.
THOMAS L. JONES,
A. E. RICHARDS.

DISTRICT ELECTORS.
First District—James D. White.
Second District—A. T. Craycroft.
Third District—P. F. Edwards.
Fourth District—James Montgomery.
Fifth District—Ewd. J. McDermott.
Sixth District—James W. Bryan.
Seventh District—Wm. C. Owens.
Eighth District—Michael C. Saufley.
Ninth District—Joseph Gardner.
Tenth District—Francis L. Cleveland.

Democratic District Ticket.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE,
LUCIUS P. LITTLE.
COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY,
JOE NOE,

Democratic County Ticket.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK,
CLARENCE HARDWICK.

FOR SHERIFF,
ALEXANDER C. ELLIS.

Why we are for Judge Little.

In conversation Monday, a voter asked us "why are you for Judge Little?" We append a few of the many reasons we could give why we are for Judge Little for Circuit Judge:

We are for Judge Little because he is better qualified mentally and physically to fill the office than his opponent, Judge Stuart.

We are for Judge Little because by electing him we will stop a draw of over seven hundred dollars per annum upon our tax payers, which we have to pay to pro tem. Judges to help Judge Stuart do the work which he was elected and paid to do, but which he is incapable of doing, and which Judge Little will do himself.

We are for Judge Little because he has never held office, while Judge Stuart has been in a fat-salaried office all the time since 1856, (save a few months) a period of 24 years, and this is long enough, for the new Constitution of this State was adopted more expressly to foster rotation in office than any other one thing.

We are for Judge Little because he was a Democrat before the war, a Democrat during the war, has been a Democrat since the war, is a true Democrat now and never dodges the fact, but always owns up and is not ashaimed but proud of his political principles, while Judge Stuart cannot, or at least will not, tell what his politics are, but leaves the impression with Greenbackers that he is the original Geenbacker, the daddy of that party, and that Peter Cooper, Brick Pomeroy, Gen. Weaver nor any one else is a circumstance to him; with a Republican, that he is par excellence, the best Republican on earth; with Democrats, that Thomas Jefferson was never half so good a Democrat as he; with persons of no particular creed, that he is non-political, and thinks it an unpardonable sin to belong to a political party, and in company where more than one political party is represented, he says he is a political cosmopolite, (wonder what kind of a varmint that is). So you cannot place your finger on the Judge politically and say here he isb, but if you will examine his record you will find that he has been a Republican, and as all the Republican officials, and the masses of the Republicans are for him, it is not hard to conclude that he is still a Republican.

We are for Judge Little because he is the Democratic nominee for Circuit Judge in the Fourth Judicial District, having been fairly and honorably chosen, and having received the largest support for the nomination ever received by any one from the four counties for the nomination to any position, with or without opposition, and having been duly declared the nominee by the proper authority, and being the only Democrat before the people for this office.

We are for Judge Little because this is no off year. It is the most important year in the history of the country, and one when it is more important for Democrats to stand by their nominees than ever before, for by so doing we have it in our power to elect the gallant soldier statesman General Winfield Scott Hancock as President, but if a Democratic District's Democratic nominees are defeated it will be heralded abroad over every doubtful State, and will encourage and consolidate our enemies and dishearten and dismay our friends.

We are for Judge Little because the Democratic party of the District has spoken through the proper channel and proclaimed him our standard bearer in this fight, and as he is worthy and well qualified, it is the duty of every true Democrat to give him his undivided support.

MR. JONES, Chairman of the Committee of the 4th Judicial District, denies having signed the article or letter that Mr. Haycraft has been making such a parade about. Read his card on the first page of this issue.

"THERE is dirt in the bolt," is a common saying in this county.

REMEMBER, he who votes for a bolter places himself in the same attitude of a bolter, politically.

THE thriving city of Owensboro has a population of 8,300, having more than doubled in the last ten years.

READ the letter of Mr. E. L. Jones explaining the letter from him to Haycraft and Noe. He gives a full account of that transaction.

JUDGE STUART says he is a "Cosmopolitan." Well, as we don't know any party in this county sailing under such a cognomen, we take it for granted that the Judge will be defeated on next Monday.

DEMOCRATS are you going to vote for a man who denominates you and your party as bandy-shanked, knock-kneed, whopper-jawed, and doing all he can to disorganize the party? or will you vote for Mr. Noe, who is the nominee of the Democrats and who is in unison with their best interests?

THE Democrats of the Evansville District, on last Thursday, nominated ex-Mayor J. J. Kleiner for Congress. He is very popular and almost sure of election. which will make one change in favor of the Democrats, as the District is now represented by Mr. Heilman, a Republican.

JUDGE STUART has no claim upon Republicans and Greenbackers because he says he is a Democrat. He has no claim upon Democrats because he has *never* affiliated with that party. He was first a Whig, second a Know-nothing, third a Republican, fourth a "Cosmopolitan," and *never* a Democrat.

IS IT not a little strange that Democrats are for a man who, in 1880, which is the first time in 20 years that the Democrats have had a gleam of hope or a promise of success, is the first and only Democratic candidate to bolt or refuse to submit his claims to Democrats? We refer to Maj. Haycraft.

MAJ. HAYCRAFT has become bloated on $4,000 grabs gobbled from the State Treasury. It is said that a good deal of it is just now being expended in hiring bummers to ride through the district to tell the people, who are being taxed for this $4,000 grab, that the lawyers, gamblers and whiskey men of Owensboro are after him. This reminds us of the old dodge "stop thief."

WITH Stuart as Judge, we have to pay *seven hundred and six dollars and eighty-three cents* per annum, which comes out of the tax payers of the State, for *pro tem.* Judges to help him do his work. With Little as Judge we save this. Voter, ask yourself the question, can you afford such an expense just because Judge Stuart is a clever old man? We think not, and will vote for Little.

WE wish we could give the letter of Mr. Tompkins in reply to E. L. Jones. for it is a good paper and subitantiates Mr. Jones, and shows conclusively that Haycraft got Tompkins to aid him in getting a letter, impressing Jones that it was for one purpose while in truth Haycraft wanted it for another and entirely different purpose. We cannot give the letter because for want of space and type to set it in.

IT is understood that money is circulating freely in various parts of the Fourth Judicial District. Well, Major Haycraft, having his $4,000 grab in his pocket which he got from the State for 30 days work in the suit of Bennett Stevens and others; and Judge Stuart's drafts being current at the Internal Revenue office in Owensboro, they can well afford to hire bummers to ride over the country and disorganize the Democratic party.

JUDGE STUART is out in a circular. It seems to us that it would have been fairer and in better taste if he had gone before the people and said what he had to say, than to have waited until the eve of the election to write a circular. In this circular he censures Judge Little because his father and two of his brothers were Republicans. We think he is deserving of credit instead of censure from Democrats for his fidelity to principles, regardless of parental and brotherly influences.

MAJOR HAYCRAFT says that Mr. Jones, Chairman of the District Committee, threw him off the track in the primary election. We are reminded of an old lawyer, who left home to attend court in an adjoining county. His friends remonstrated with him for eating green apples, telling him that they would give him the colic. Well, said he, "I promised my wife that I would drink no whisky while gone, unless I happened to take the colic, and to tell you the truth, I want to take the colic." Major Haycraft *wanted* to be thrown off the track.

JUDGE GEO. W. WILLIAMS, who assisted Major Haycraft in the suit of Bennett Stevens and others against the State, had to sue Haycraft for his services. He stated in the trial of that case that one thousand dollars would have been a sufficient fee for all the work on the part of the counsel for the Defense, and yet Judge Stuart allowed, and Haycraft collected, four thousand dollars. These men are too liberal with the people's money. Lets take the keys of the Treasury away from them and give them to Little and Noe.

IN 1877 the incompetency of Judge Stuart, principally from physical inability, cost the State the sum of **$1,226.78** for *pro tem.* Judges to do the work he was elected and paid himself to do. The same year Judge Cissell's district only cost the State, for the same purposes, **$35.70.** Elect Judge Little and *pro tem.* Judges in this district during the next term will cost the State *nothing*, instead of an average of seven hundred and six dollars and eighty-three cents each year. Judge Little is thoroughly competent, physically as well as mentally, and if elected (well, there is no *if* about it, he *will be elected*) will discharge the duties of the office himself, and not leave the work to be done by *pro tem* Judges.

THE intimation in Judge Stuart's circular that Judge Little controls the columns of the three newspapers in the district, is, so far as this paper is concerned, wholly untrue. We control its columns and we are not at the beck, call or command of any man or party. We have notions and views of our own and dare to express them on any and all occasions. Because we deem it our privilege and right and see proper to oppose Judge Stuart in this race, and support Judge Little, here must come the insinuation that Judge Little controls the columns of our paper. It is not true.

IN the suit of Bennett Stevens and others against the Commonwealth in which Judge Stuart allowed Major Haycraft, his co-disorganizer of the Democratic party, four thousand dollars for thirty days work in addition to his regular annual salary. Hons H. D. McHenry, W. N. Sweeney and E. D. Walker, prosecuted the case, and they all together got a contingent fee of $1,500. But they were not officials, and besides their clients had the fee to pay. The four thousand dollar grab of Major Haycraft was raised from the tax paying people of the county. How smoothly we officials swim along!

WHAT will the scandal mongers say now after reading the endorsement of Joe Noe, by his own county men. It is a fact that the people of McLean county with one accord, including Methodist, Baptist, Christians, Catholics, Presbyterians, farmers, teachers, lawyers, merchants, mechanics, officials and persons of all classes, avocations and professions en masse, are for him in this race. Reader, you need never fear a man that comes thus endorsed by his home people. Although Mr. Noe is an uncompromising Democrat, and is the Democratic standard bearer in this race his endorsement is signed by Major Isaac Calhoon, who is Chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of McLean county. A man of immoral habits, inferior qualifications could not beg or buy such an endorsement from his home people.

IT is proper to say that no one could have been so well advised of the value of the services of Major Joe Haycraft on the lock and dam suit as Judge Stuart, because the services all transpired before him, and the act contemplated that he should make him an allowance just as he would a master commissioner of his court. Judge Stuart decided himself that the amount in controversy was thirty-two hundred dollars. The allowance of a four thousand dollar fee in a thirty-two hundred dollar case, is a very extravagant allowance, and men who make such allowances and men who ask and collect such fees, ought to be shut off from the public crib. The tax payers suffer too much by them. Judge Stuart's excuse is that he made the allowance on Judge Little's affidavit. Judge Little said in his evidence in the case that if fifty thousand dollars were involved, that if other attorneys were employed, and *if* all the work had been done as claimed, then the services were worth about five thousand. Judge Little knew nothing about what had been done, while Judge Stuart knew all about it, and his effort to shift the responsibility on to Judge Little is a miserable subterfuge.

JUDGE STUART attempts to explain the allowance of four thousand dollars to Major Haycraft upon the ground that it was based on the statements of Judge Murray and Judge Little. Murray never saw the papers in the case, and knew no more about what Haycraft had done than the man in the moon, except as represented to him by Major Haycraft. Judge Little knew no more than Judge Murray, except what he might have heard of the final trial in passing in and out of the court room, and his opinion was based upon representations made to him by Haycraft, and his affidavit shows this fact, for he says if all the facts are as represented, then the allowance ought to be so much. It was tried before Judge Stuart, and he knew all about it. Why should he ask or take men's opinions who knew little or nothing about the facts. The only answer that can be given is that he was trying to dodge responsibilities.

If Judge James Stuart were a Democrat (as is claimed by some), but which he is not and never was, seeking a re-election after having served three terms of six years each—eighteen years in all—Democrats would say to him, "You have had it long enough and must stand aside. If he were a Republican (which he is but is afraid to own it up like a true man) asking of Republicans in a district where they had hope of success, a nomination to a fourth term of six years, they would say to him, we refused Grant a third term of four years each, and will not give you a fourth term. That is the principle of both parties. Then why are the masses of the Republicans for Judge Stuart now? Simply because Judge Stuart is a Republican and Judge Little is a Democrat, and while they, if they had the office in their gift, would not give the office to Stuart over another Republican, yet when he is opposed by a Democrat they will vote for him forever. This is enough to satisfy all thoughtful Democrats that he is the Republican candidate and nerve them to use all honorable means to defeat him.

MAJOR HAYCRAFT advised his hearers in his speech at Owensboro last Saturday night to read the Hartford HERALD—that is, that part of it pertaining to the meeting here on the 19th—but suggested for them not to read the balance of the paper, as it was unfit. Now, a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney ought to be good enough lawyer to know that if he introduces a witness in a case he cannot take part of his evidence and rely on that and denounce the balance. He must admit all or none. It is true that in one or two issues of our paper in the last five years and seven months an item or two inadvertently crept in that were not fit for the columns of a paper, and we hope our readers will, if they have not already done so, forgive us, and we hope to be able to keep its columns in the future, as we have (save these two exceptions) in the past, chaste enough to be read in church meeting. Our readers will bear witness that this is the character of paper we have given them. But those living in glass houses should not throw stones, and we are free to say that if all the printed filth we ever saw in our life were piled together, it could not begin to equal the filth, obscenity, vulgarity and indecency of Major Haycraft's speech here at the court house on Monday, July 19th. It was a repetition of one vile, vulgar joke after another for an hour and a half, and was enough to disgust any decent man. One of two things are true—he is either vulgar and unrefined himself and his mind runs in that channel, or he placed a very low estimate upon the decency, refinement and culture of the large audience of voters of Ohio county present. In either event it is enough to keep us from supporting him.

DEMOCRATS, stand to your guns. Do not be led away from Democratic nominees by recreant Democrats, Independents or Republicans proposing to swap votes. We have four Democratic nominees in the field, each and every one of them fairly and honorably nominated, worthy and well qualified and justly deserving of the support of every true Democat in the county. They are all on the same platform and should have the same treatment at the hands of the Democrats of the county. They are all in the same wagon, and if it goes through with one it should go through with all. If it breaks down with one, it will break down with all. They are all in the same boat. If it sinks with one all will be drowned; if it enters the harbor of victory with one, the others should be carried in too, for we are opposed to throwing some overboard and letting them drown when there is no use of it. They are all making for the same goal and should make common cause. Democrats, be men; stand to your principles; do not bolt your party in this year of presidential and congressional elections. This is the year to stand together. Let there be no scratching done. Mark the scratcher or bolter, and spot him as one not true to the faith and unworthy of Democratic confidence. Democrats, do your duty. A crisis is upon us; more work, more money, more intriguing, more demagoguing is being used to defeat the Democratic nominees than ever was known before. Show them you are proof against all such attacks. Hurrah for Little and Noe, Hardwick and Ellis.

THERE are men who do not know and cannot tell the difference between a writ of *venditioni exponas* and *capias profine*, busily engaged in talking up the superior qualifications of Judge Stuart and emphatically asserting that Judge Little is not qualified for Circuit Judge. Their talk is about as ludicrous as it would be to have an examiner to pronounce upon the qualifications of school teachers who could neither read nor write. The endorsement of the McLean county bar buries all such unjust and untrue imputations upon the qualifications of Judge Little. The members of the Calhoon bar (all save Judge Little's own brother and the brother of Mr. Noe, who is also a candidate, who were not approached upon the matter) voluntarily send to the HERALD an endorsement of the qualifications, ability and fitness of Judge Little for this important position. Some of these lawyers have practiced with Judge Little for near twenty years, and know whereof they affirm.

Such an endorsement as the bar of his native county have given Judge Little should be a quietus to all the untrue reports being busily circulated for the purpose of injuring his reputation, and is sufficient to convince any fair-minded man that he is a sound, able jurist, worthy and well-qualified for the position.

MAJOR HAYCRAFT raises his eyes in holy horror at the idea or thought of a minority of committeemen having power to defeat the majority, and thus denounces the primary election in Ohio county as void. Well, for argument's sake let's agree with Haycraft. A majority of the District Committee called the primary election and Haycraft says that was all right. There are ten committeemen in Daviess county; seven in McLean; seven in Hancock, and six in Ohio; in all thirty, twenty-six of whom favored the primary election, while four either neglected, failed or refused to act. Now, Major, do you say a minority has no power? Then surely you will not contend that four stubborn contrary committeemen can thwart the wishes of twenty-six committeemen, backed up by the whole Democratic party of the district. Such a position is as untenable as can be—is mere bosh, chaff, stuff. Joe Haycraft bolted because he believed he would be defeated before the primary election, and preferred his chances as an Independent, thus hoping to get the Greenback and Republican votes, and enough Democrats to come. Joe Noe was fairly, honorably, duly nominated, and is entitled to the support of all true Democrats.

Major Haycraft claims that the letter of Ed. L. Jones, Chairman of the Democratic Committee, of this Judicial District, got him off the track from before the Democratic primary election. Is this true? we think not. We have carefully read all the letters, papers and everything pertaining to the matter, and heard the version of both Haycraft and Noe, and have reached the conclusion that Major Haycraft had found that Daviess, Hancock and McLean counties, would give a big majority against him, and that while Ohio county was for him he could not hope for a vote sufficient to off-set the majorities of the other counties, and thus he would be beaten. Something must be done. He surveyed the ground, seized hold of the inaction of a majority of the Ohio County Committee, and made that an excuse. He prepared a letter and on the 21st of June he presents it to Mr. Noe asking him to join him in a letter to our committee. That letter was addressed to the committee, and contained the following:

"We desire the Democrats of Ohio county shall have a voice in selecting their representative for this position. It is their inalienable right, and a failure on your part to order the primary election in your county in the manner and at the time indicated by the District Committee, will, in our opinion, serve in effect and in fact to defeat the object and aim of the primary election ordered by the District Committee."

Mark the language, "a failure on your part"—whose part—the Ohio County Committee—to order the primary election in your county *in the manner* and at the time indicated by the District Committee, will, in our opinion, whose opinion?—Haycraft's and Noe's serve, &c." Now at the time Major Haycraft prepared and presented this letter he knew that the majority of our committee would not act, he also knew that the Democrats had met together in various precincts of Ohio county, and announced through the HERALD that a primary election *should* be held all the same. He knew this, and all he had wanted was the votes of the Democrats, and he would thus get them just as forcibly and freely as if the primary was called by the majority. Mr. Noe declined to sign the letter, which was right, as no true Democrat should have signed it. Mr. Haycraft goes to his friend Tompkins and gets him to see Jones and get a letter from him. The object presented to Jones was to get a letter from him to Haycraft and Noe jointly, asking them to join a letter to the Ohio County Committee to act. Mr. Tompkins says, this letter was written by him, yet it contained the following:

"It is my opinion that unless all the counties in the district unite in the primary election under the call of the District Committee, there will be no election as contemplated by the District Committee, and the real spirit, intent and object of the call and of the primary election for the third day of July will be defeated."

The reader will see that the letter contained in substance the part of Major Haycraft's letter that Noe had objected to, and Haycraft knew that Noe of course would object to joining Jones and himself in a letter containing the same objectionable part. Query: How did Tompkins happen to write a letter that Haycraft never saw and embrace in it the very point embraced in Haycraft's letter to Noe. The conclusion is forced upon a fair mind that Haycraft drilled him well and entreated him not to leave that point out, and the object in getting the letter from Jones was, while apparently in the interest of organization, really for the purpose of securing a letter from Jones to be used as a prize pole to prize himself (Haycraft) off the track. He already knew that Noe would not sign a letter with that feature in it. He knew that Jones was his supporter and friend, and could be entrapped into giving such a letter. A further fact is, he did not present it to Noe until in a speech; he did not send it to the committee, but made public use of it, which was not intended by Jones, and it was procured purposely to help him to get off. But if Jones had authority to act there and get Haycraft off the track, he had the same power, influence and authority to get him back, and he did what he could to place him back by endorsing the action of the minority committee of Ohio county. The State Central Committee also endorsed their action, and the fact that a primary election *would be held* in Ohio county had been published from week to week, from June 9th up to the day Haycraft withdrew. The fact is patent to any one who will investigate it that he withdrew from before the primary election to save himself from defeat, and is so anxious to hold on to an office that furnishes fat jobs and $4,000 fees, he lays down his Democracy and gets outside the pale of the party, and relies on the Republicans for the bulk of his support, but will endeavor to bamboozle as many Democrats as possible, and thus hope to be elected. This is the true inwardness of the case.

An Expensive Judge—Tax Payers Read.

Judge Stuart was elected the last time in 1874 and since then he has drawn his salary regularly at the rate of 3,000 dollars a year from the State Treasury; and, in addition to this, the State has had to pay enormous sums to pro tem. Judges to hold court for him, he being incapacitated by ill health to do the work himself. In 1875, the first year of his last term, the State paid out for pro tem. Judges, in this district, 682 dollars and 97 cents. In 1876, the amount paid for pro tem. Judges in this district was 840 dollars and 56 cents. In 1877, the sum paid out reached the enormous amount of 1,226 dollars and 78 cents, being considerably over a third of the amount of the regular salary. In 1878, the sum thus paid out was 477 dollars and 12 cents. In 1879, the amount paid out for pro tem. Judges in this district was 306 dollars and 72 cents.

Thus in five years while the State has paid Judge Stuart his regular salary of 3,000 dollars a year, total 15,000, it has also had to pay out to pro tem. Judges, to do the work he was physically incapacitated to do, the large sum of 3,534 dollars and 15 cents. This is paying too dear for justice. If the pro tem. Judges pay was deducted from Judge Stuart's salary it would not be a cause of complaint, but it is paid from the treasury in addition to his full salary. Fifteen of the Judges of the State in 1879, did not cost the State a cent for pro tem. Judges. Grace, of the Second, Cissell, of the Third, Bowling, of the Fourth districts, and Judge Dulaney, of the Common Pleas Court, being among the number.

The duty of tax payers is to select men that are qualified to discharge the duties of the office so as to save themselves these extra burdens. We have tried Judge Stuart and find, in five years, we have an extra burden placed upon us of 3,534 dollars and 15 cents, being an average of 706 dollars and 83 cents per year. Let us try a new man. We can do no worse. If we elect Judge Little, we will greatly lessen these burdens, for while he is a man of more than a score of years of experience as a lawyer and is thoroughly competent yet he is a much younger man than Judge Stuart, healthy and strong, and no big sums will have to be paid pro tem. Judges during his term for he will do the work himself.

Peculiarly Strange.

Major Haycraft intimates that the lawyers of Owensboro are against him because they fear his great ability as a prosecutor. Is it not strange, if this were true, that he had to employ one of them to help him defend in the case of the "Rough Creek Navigation Company against the State. But then that was cheap; he didn't intend to pay him anything for his assistance. The Major's great idea is money, judging from the grab of $4,000 he got for 30 days work in that case in addition to his regular annual salary.

$100 Reward.

We will give one hundred dollars reward to any person who can inform us of any lawyer who has received a straight-out fee of four thousand dollars in any case in this district in the last forty years except Major Haycraft.

During that time Messrs. Triplett, Calhoon, John H. McHenry, Sr., Governor Dixon, Governor Powell and other eminent lawyers have practiced their profession in the district, and during life they each and all enjoyed national reputations, but none of them ever got a four thousand dollar fee; and why? Because they were too honest to ask it, and besides Judge Stuart was not on the bench to allow it.

The Difference.

Judge Stuart, in *Stuart's Hand Bill*, refers to the negro bond business and tries to justify himself by saying that Judge Little went on the note of Geo. Griffith, of color, in bank for one hundred dollars. Well, Geo. Griffith got Judge Little to endorse a bill of exchange in bank for him last September, (1879) when W. T. Owen was a candidate, or spoken of, and before Judge Little had any idea that he would make the race, as he was strong for Owen. Griffith secured Judge Little with collaterals, and that was all there was of it. Geo. Griffith and Dick Varian, both of color, have been appointed Government Storekeepers, if not since Judge Stuart was announced, at least since he was known to be a candidate, and the negro, Dick Varian, gave bond since Judge Stuart was announced through the papers, and the Judge volunteered as surety on his bond, thus enabling him to qualify, whereas he would; as charged last week, have probably failed, and a poor white Republican might have had a show. The act of Judge Little was a private transaction of private business, when he was not a candidate and had no idea of being, and in fact six months before he became a candidate, while the act of Judge Stuart was while he was a candidate, volunteering as surety on an official bond, and the appointments were made by his son, W. A. Stuart, Collector, over white Republicans, soldiers at that, and the reason is too easy to require a Yankee to guess it. There are about 2,000 negroes in the district, and father needed them, and it was thought that this bid would gobble them in. It probably will. To say the least of it, it is a strong bid.

THE FOUL SLANDERS REFUTED.

Joe Noe all Right Where Known.

What his Home People say of Him.

CALHOON, KY., July 23, 1880.

Editor Herald:

The undersigned citizens of McLean county, friends of Joe Noe, Esq., irrespective of party politics, deem it a pleasure as well as a duty we owe him and ourselves to correct a scandalous report which we have been informed is being activly circulated in other parts of the district to the effect that he is an immoral, intemperate man, and is the special friend and representative of the whisky rings, gamblers and other disreputable characters in this canvass for Commonwealth's Attorney. The charge that Mr. Noe became a candidate, or in the interest of gamblers and saloon keepers, is a foul aspersion upon his good name. Mr. Noe's candidacy was responsive to a spontaneous call of the masses of the voters of this county, irrespective of party, and it is a pleasure to add that he is heartily supported by all the sober, religious, moral and better elements of society of the county.

Mr. Noe has been raised from childhood in this county. He has been County Attorney for six years, and was recently re-elected by a handsome majority over a popular competitor, and is personally known to us to be a sober, moral, upright, honorable gentleman, fully qualified to make an efficient, active and at the same time a just and honorable Prosecuting Attorney.

As citizens of McLean county, knowing Mr. Noe and his past history well, we do not hesitate emphatically and unqualifiedly to give an unequivocal contradiction to the charges ennumerated, and ask the good citizens of the other counties of the district where he is not personally known not to be deceived by such transparent falsehoods. L. W. Gates, attorney at law; Louis L. Moore, clerk Circuit Court; A. J. Moore, deputy clerk; J. W. Johnson, attorney at law and ex-county judge; J. M. Nicholl, school commissioner; L. A. Watkins, attorney at law; F. E. Porter, druggist; Geo. Rudy, county judge; J. M. Robinson, M. D.; J. W. White, ex-sheriff; I. Wittleshofer, merchant; J. C. Johnson, attorney at law and ex-county judge; W. A. Rafferty, county clerk, Isaac Calhoon, S. W. Pruitt, B. T. Collier, W. R. Mitchell, Peter C. Lindley, B. F. Swindler, Pastor Baptist church of Calhoon; A. W. Johnson, attorney-at-law.

There is No Doubt.

About Judge Little's regular nomination by the Democrats there can be no doubt. He was regularly and fairly chosen by the Democrats of the Fourth Judicial District as ever a man was nominated in the world. The regular District Committee called the Primary Election. Three of the County Committees responded, and appointed officers to conduct the same. The majority of the Committee of Ohio county failing to act, notice was given that the Democrats would hold a Primary any how. A minority of the Committee appointed officers, and their action was approved by the State Committee. A large number of Democrats voted. Of the 65 or 70 lawyers of the District none other but Judge Little was a candidate for this office, and yet, without opposition, to bring out a big vote, he got a vote equal to half of the Democratic vote usually voting at general elections in the four counties. He was duly declared the nominee by the District Committee, and the Democrat who would question his nomination, will question the validity of the nomination of Hancock and English.

There sometimes arises a doubt about the nominee being the choice of the party where there are several aspirants before a convention, but with but one aspirant before a primary election who gets a vote as large or larger than one-half the usual Democratic vote polled in the District, there can be no question of his being regularly and fairly nominated, and the voter who fails to support him, or votes against him, is no true Democrat.

No Democrat ever before the voters of this county was more justly entitled to the support of the Democrats of the county than Judge Little.

Give him a warm support.

Our Statement Correct.

In our last issue, in speaking of the qualifications of the candidates for Circuit Judge, we suggested that it be left to the lawyers and used the following: "There are about 34 or 35 lawyers in Owensboro. This is the home of both the candidates, and is a fair test. Not less than 28 of the 35 lawyers are for Judge Little, being four-fifths of them." We made this statement based upon information received which we believed to be true beyond question. Since then Mr. John Weir, of Owensboro, has been in our midst and disputed our statement and said that there were but *four* lawyers in Owensboro who would support Judge Little. Not wishing to have a *truthful* statement in our paper thus disputed, and not wishing a false statement by us to stand uncorrected, while in Owensboro last Saturday we investigated the matter as fully as possible and secured the names and saw personally quite a large number of the lawyers and learned beyond doubt and can state positively that between 25 and 30 of the lawyers are for Judge Little, while only 4 to 6 could be heard of that would support Judge Stuart. To show our readers that we are in earnest we will have the poll books examined after the election and publish the list and thus vindicate our statement. We do not think for one moment that Mr. Jno. Weir would make a *false* statement about it, but *we* do think he was *fearfully mistaken.*

Jo Haycraft's $4,000 Gobble.

On our recent visit to Owensboro we had an opportunity to examine the records and learn something of the true inwardness of this transaction.

By an act of the Legislature J. B. Stevens and others were permitted to bring a suit against the State for alleged injuries to the Rough Creek Lock and Dam Company by leasing the Green and Barren rivers locks and dam to a company known as the "Green and Barren Rivers Navigation Company." Major Joe Haycraft being the Commonwealth's Attorney, a salaried officer of State, it was made his duty to defend the suit when brought, and supposing it might impose on him some additional labor, it was provided that the Circuit Judge might make him a *reasonable* allowance to compensate for extra services. The suit was brought and tried in the Daviess Circuit Court and resulted in a judgment against the State for $3,200, with some interest. Judge Stuart allowed Major Haycraft $4,000 for defending the suit, although he was claiming and collecting his regular salary as Commonwealth's Attorney all the time.

The Examiner's certificates show that 26 days were occupied in taking depositions on both sides. The records show that four days were occupied in the trial of the case in the court house, making a total of thirty days engaged in the case, an allowance equivalent to $133 33⅓ per day. This $4,000 is more than one-half the people who are now asked to vote for Major Haycraft and Judge Stuart will be able to lay up in a life time of hard toil. We do not wonder that Major Haycraft is willing to disorganize the Democratic party in order to be re-elected to an office that furnishes such fat jobs. Major Haycraft says in affidavit asking for an allowance that "He does not recollect distinctly the number of days consumed in hunting for and taking proof; not less, I would think, than forty." Well, the records show only thirty days, but admitting that Major Haycraft's indistinct remembrance in his affidavit is correct, and he worked forty days, he still got $100 per day for the work, in addition to his regular salary, drawn from the State at the same time. This allowance was an outrage on the tax-payers, and the claiming and collecting of it by Haycraft was equally an outrage, an unjust burden upon the people.

But now comes a sequel that was not so agreeable to Major Haycraft and this $133 33⅓ per diem job. In order to make as good a showing as possible and get a big grab after the trial was over, Major Haycraft made an affidavit which is now on file in the case in which he says $50,000 with interest from 1868 was involved in the suit, and that he had "employed two attorneys to assist him, one of whom (Judge G. W. Williams) argued the case, both of whom he expects to pay out of any allowance he may get as a fee in the case." The object of this statement was to show that he would have to divide his fee with two other lawyers, and therefore his fee ought to be large so as to enable him to pay his associate counsel and leave a big fee to himself. After he had collected the $4,000 he offered to pay his associate counsel in the case $200. Judge Williams feeling that it was an insult to offer him only five per cent. of the allowance, $4,000, which Haycraft had received, refused to accept the proposition and sued him for $1,000. To this suit Haycraft filed an answer, in which on oath "he denies that there was any contract to pay any sum or to pay at all, the understanding being at the time, this was his impression of it, and fully warranted, as he thinks, by the facts, that it was a matter of good will on both sides." "The allowance that was made to him was for his own services, and any service plaintiff (Judge Williams) may have rendered did not enter into the estimate of what was proper for him to have, and whatever sum plaintiff (Williams) may get is so much out of his (Haycraft's) own pocket, diminishing to that extent his *just* fee against the State."

It is thus seen that when he was seeking to gobble the $4,000 he tells the court on oath that he had employed two lawyers (Judge Williams, who helped to prepare and argued the case, and his brother, who took some of the depositions) to assist him and *expected to pay them out of any fee allowed him by the court*, but after pocketing the fee, and Judge Williams, who really prepared the case, made the argument and did the actual brain work in the suit, sued him, he swears that there was no contract to pay any sum to Williams, and that he understood Williams to have assisted him as a matter of good will. Now both of these sworn statements, which we have copied from the records, correctly, cannot be true. Either the statements made in the affidavit for an allowance that he had employed Williams, was untrue, or his sworn statement in his answer to William's suit, that Williams assisted him as a matter of good will without promise of fee, was untrue. If the affidavit for a fee was untrue, it looks very much like it was corruptly so, because it was made to induce the court to enlarge his fee on account that he would have to pay a part of it to assistant attorneys.

If the answer to Williams' suit was untrue, he stands in the attitude of one who has got a fee—a part of which belonged in justice to his associate counsel—and pocketed the whole.

From a careful examination of the whole case we find that Jno. B. Stevens and others had bought the Rough Creek lock and dam for the sum of $3,200 a a short time after the lease to the Green and Barren River Navigation Company, and all that was necessary to do to win the suit was to get that fact before the court, which was done by a copy of the records of a suit in the Ohio Circuit Court, and for the whole case and all the work done $1,500 would have been a big fee. We do not wonder that Major Haycraft is anxious to be re-elected to an office in which he can occasionally get jobs out of which he can make over $100 per day and a regular salary besides.

The work on the part of the counsel for defense was not of such fearful magnitude. The plaintiffs, it is true, sued for $50,000 in damages, which is the full extent to which they could have recovered without interest, but to show title to the property they themselves had to produce the record to show that they bought it at commissioner's sale, and that record showed of itself that they bought it for three thousand two hundred dollars on the 6th July, 1868. So that the purchase money and interest was all that it was possible for them to recover, if they showed a right to recover at all.

The evidence of plaintiffs themselves limited them to the judgment obtained, and not the evidence hunted up by Major Haycraft.

All we have said here is shown by the records in the case. The records of a court of justice are public property, and a man's official acts in a certain position should be fully known, so that voters may determine if he makes the kind of an officer desired by them.

Bear it in mind that while he was engaged in this case and getting his one hundred and thirty-three dollars per day, the State paid another lawyer to act as Commonwealth's Attorney for him and allowed him his regular salary and per centage just the same as if he had attended to it himself.

READ AND SEE THE POINT.

John Young—the man who ran a wheel of fortune—for which the directors of the fair company were *persecuted* by Major Haycraft, was never indicted or prosecuted for his violations of law in setting up and running a gambling machine. The facts were all in possession of the Commonwealth's Attorney, and yet he (Young), figures *only as a witness* against the directors of the fair company. We use the word persecuted above because we believe the facts justify it. First, the directors of the fair company were indicted, and the indictment dismissed on demurrer, the case was then appealed and the decision of the Criminal Court was affirmed. After that a new indictment was written out by Major Haycraft, and the grand jury harangued in order to get them to return another indictment. This the grand jury refused to do. Then the Major, anxious to discharge his whole duty and bring the lawless and reprobate fair directors to justice, filed a petition against them asking for judgment for ten thousand dollars. In this suit he is again beaten notwithstanding the notorious John Young *swore vigorously against the fair directors.* There was a prospect for money in that suit, for if the Major had got judgment against the directors of the fair company for ten thousand dollars, his commission would have amounted to three thousand dollars, just three-fourths of his fee against the State in the Rough Creek case. The directors of the fair company were considered good for any judgment against them, but if a judgment had been rendered against Young there would have been "No money in it" to Haycraft as Young would have paid his fine, and satisfied to some extent, the outraged law, by laying in jail. Do you see the point?

THE HERALD.

LYCURGUS BARRETT - - LOCAL EDITOR.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1880.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Circuit Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce G. Smith Fitzhugh as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Ohio county. Subject to the action of the voters at the polls on Monday, August 2d, 1880.

For Commonwealth's Attorney.

We are authorized to announce Maj. Joe Haycraft as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in this, the 4th Judicial District, composed of Daviess, McLean, Hancock and Ohio counties.

For Circuit Court Judge.

We are auhthorized to announce Judge James Stuart, of Owensboro, a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the Circuit Court in the Fourth Judicial District composed of the counties of Daviess, McLean, Hancock and Ohio. Election August 2d, 1880.

For Constable.

We are authorized to announce James W. Daniel as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable in the Cromwell Magisterial District. Election August 2d, 1880.

We are authorized to announce John T. Smith a candidate for Constable in the Hartford magisterial district. Subject to the vote of the people at the August election.

We are authorized to announce Warren L. Maddox, a candidate for the office of constable in Hartford magisterial precinct. Election, August 2d, 1880.

We are authorized to anuounce Henry S. Midkiff, a candidate for the office of constable in Hartford magisterial precinct. Election, August 2d, 1880.

We are authorized to announce J. Walter Allen, a candidate for the office of constable in Hartford magisterial precinct, composed of Hartford and Beaver Dam voting places. Election, August 2d, 1880.

For Sheriff.

David L. Smith is a candidate for Sheriff of Ohio county. Election August 2d, 1880.

For Marshal.

We are authorized to announce W. P. Haden as a candidate for the office of Marshal of the town of Hartford. Election, August 2, 1880.

We are authorized to announce John Bean as a candidate for Marshal of the town of Hartford. Election, August 2d, 1880.

PERSONAL.

Cadet Midshipman W. P. Hoke, of Annapolis, Md., is spending vacation with his relatives near town.

Alex Barnett, Esq., who left for the Sunny Plains of Texas a year ago, is visiting his relatives near town.

Mr. Squire Howey, of Vine Grove, Hardin county, Ky., is visiting his Uncle, Mr. George W. Bunger, of this place.

Mr. Thomas Morris, recently of this office, has taken a position on the Hartford HERALD. Tom is a good boy and a good printer.—*Elizabethtown News.*

Our young friend, Ledru Barnett, who has been seeking fame and fortune in Missouri for about a year, returned home last Thursday.

John Ayer, of McLean county, who is attending the White Sulphur Springs, was in attendance at the hop Friday night. He called to see us while here.

Rev. J. S. McDaniel, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Little, in Medicine Lodge, Kansas, for about a month past, returned home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Abe Berryman and Master Charley Miller, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Hartford and Sulphur Springs, returned to their homes in Owensboro last Friday.

Mrs. —— Wells, who has been spending several weeks in Hartford, returned to her home in Louisville last Thursday evening. She is an estimable lady, and will probably return to Hartford to engage in business.

Hon. E. D. Walker attended, by invitation, the Hancock and English ratification meeting at Calhoon last Saturday, and made one of his usual good speeches. We understand that his speech was received with great enthusiasm.

Miss Lizzie Walker, who has been visiting friends and acquaintances in Paris, Tenn., and Murray, Ky., for about two months past, returned home last Wednesday. The intelligence of her return will be hailed with pleasure by her many friends here.

—Bob & Jack want to see you.

—Bob & Jack want all your produce.

—Pure wines and liquors, at the Red Bar.

—Ladies' Ulsters—a big stock, at Anderson's Bazar.

—Extra quality of baking powder, at Bob & Jack's.

—You can get a nice white vest, at Anderson's Bazar, for 90 cents.

—If you want a good rig, come to the auction sales next Monday.

—Go to the Hartford Bakery Monday and get your Hancock and Garfield cakes and cider—hot, you know.

—Mr. Sam'l A. Williams has purchased a lot opposite Mr. A. T. Nall's and will commence the erection of a nice dwelling on it in a day or so.

—Williams Bros. will soon have completed burning their brick kiln. They have the largest perhaps ever burned in Ohio county.

—If you want a good gold or silver watch, cheap, attend the auction sales Monday, Iglehart will sell it to you at your own price.

—Mr. J. T. Iglehart, County Auctioneer, is in Cincinnati, where he will purchase a fine lot of buggies, harness, saddles, both ladies' and gentlemen's, bridles, &c., &c., also a fine lot of gold and silver watches, bought at pawnbroker's auction, silver plated goods, &c., &c. These goods will be sold at auction next Monday. Don't fail to attend and secure bargains.

—Thousands of soldiers and heirs are entitled to pensions with payment from date of discharge or death, if applied for before July 1, 1881. Wound, accidental injury or disease entitles to a pension. Bounty and back pay collected. Increase of pension secured. This firm established in 1668. Address, enclosing stamp, Edson Bros., U. S. Claim Attorneys, 711 G. Street, Washington, D. C. 10-tf

—Mr. E. S. Edgerton respectfully informs the citizens of Hartford and vicinity, that he intends to remain at this place and carry on the painting business in all its branches, house, sign and carriage work, graining, paper hanging, &c., done in the latest style. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. All favors in his line will be thankfully received, and promptly attended to.

42-tf. E. S. EDGERTON.

—Trimming silks in all colors for 60 cents a yard, at Anderson's Bazar.

—FOR SALE—A house and lot in town. Appply to WM. STEELE. 29 2t

—Prints at five cents per yard, at I. P. Banard's Beaver Dam store. 30-2t

—R. P. Rowe & Bro. continue to open new goods, will open another new lot to-day.

—London Punch collars—the very latest style for gents, at Anderson's Bazar.

—Fresh supply of salt and lime for sale by I. P. Banard, Beaver Dam. 30-2t

—Iglehart will sell you more goods next Monday than was ever heard of before.

—Dress linens, for ladies' Ulsters, can be had, very cheap, at Anderson's Bazar.

—Now is the time to buy a good buggy and harness. Iglehart will sell them Monday.

—The quarterly meeting for this circuit will be held at Liberty church next Saturday and Sunday.

—If you want to buy your wife, sister or aunt a nice saddle, come to the auction sales Monday, Iglehart's got 'em.

—Hon. James A. McKenzie will speak in Hartford, Monday, August 9th, 1880. No mistake this time.

—Corn looks well in the Rockport country. The damage by high water is not so great as was at first supposed.

—Walter, a little son of E. C. Hubbard, of this place, had one of his fingers badly crushed by a cider mill one day last week.

—A large number of our citizens attended the Catholic Festival at Litchfield last Wednesday. They all report a gay time.

FOR SALE.—A No. 1 young milch cow and calf. Apply to GRIFFIN BROS.

—If you want a good rig, go to H. Field's stable. If you want your horse fed, do likewise.

—Two things are essential for the success of any business. First is close attention and second is advertising.

—Mr. R. T. Iler, of Muhlenberg county, has rented the cottage occupied by Mr. W. C. Morton and will move his family here in a short time. He comes with the view of educating his children.

—Mr. E. R. Murrell, our worthy Master Commissioner, has rented the new brick dwelling of Capt. Sam K. Cox, and will occupy it soon as a family residence.

—Desiring to close out my present stock of goods to make room for a new fall supply, I will sell goods on hand at and even below cost. Now is your time to secure bargains.

30-2t I. P. BANARD, Beaver Dam.

—The cheap goods in Table-cloths, Napkins, Tickings and Window-trimmings, at Anderson's Bazar, are real bargains and people would do well to take advantage of them before they are all gone.

—The Catholic festival at Litchfield last Wednesday, under the management of Father M. F. Melody was quite a success. We are sorry that circumstances were such that prevented us from attending.

—The quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church South will be held at Liberty church commencing next Saturday and embracing Sabbath. The appointment at Goshen church for next Sunday is hereby called in.

J. S. MCDANIEL, P. C.

—Mr. W. V. Johnson, living in the vicinity of Rockport, has an unusually fine crop of tobacco. It is a variety that requires to be suckered but once. His crop consists of nine acres and nearly all of it has been topped.

—We acknowledge an invitation from Messrs. W. S. Vanmeter & Bro., the popular and gentlemanly proprietors of Grayson Springs, for an invitation to be present at their fancy dress ball, which takes place to-night.

—Mr. Luke Condict, of this place, drew the clock at the Litchfield Festival last Wednesday. They say our bachelor friend was perfectly overcome by the charms of the young ladies conducting the drawing.

—Our young friend, Mr. John R. Collins, received the gold watch at the Catholic festival at Litchfield, voted to the most popular young gentleman present. The race was warmly contested by Mr. McNichols, of Litchfield. We congratulate you, John, upon your good luck.

—A difficulty occurred at the barbecue last Saturday at Panther creek bridge between Columbus Collier and Jordan Evans, in which Collier was shot by Evans. At last account Collier was still a live, but little hopes were entertained for his recovery.

—We call the attention of the voters of Hartford to the announcement of John Bean as a candidate for Marshal of Hartford. He is a young man of good moral character, ample education, is strong and vigorous and, if elected, will no doubt make a faithful officer. Give his claims a fair consideration.

—The citizens of No. 8 School House and vicinity will give a free picnic at that place on Saturday, August 7th, 1880. A lecture will be delivered on Education in the forenoon by Rev. Mr. Price, of Rochester, and a joint political discussion in the afternoon by Capt. M. J. Roark, of Greenville, and S. E. Hill, of Hartford. For further particulars see programmes printed at this office.

—The money for May draft of the school money came to hand on yesterday and will be paid to those entitled to it as they may call for it, or on the written order of those who are unable to call for it in person. All persons wishing to be examined as to their qualifications to teach are notified that the Examing board only convenes on Saturday of each week.

A. B. BAIRD, C. S. C.

July 27th, 1880.

Hartford Bakery.

Ch. Louis Guenther informs the citizens of Hartford and vicinity that he is prepared to furnish them with baker's bread. 24-tf

For Sale.

A nice cottage home in Hartford, in good repair, and located convenient to the new school building. For particulars, apply to

17-tf. GEO. KLEIN & BRO.

A Dissolution.

By agreement of all parties concerned the firm of Kahn & Mendel Bros, was this day dissolved, I. J. Kahn withdrawing his interest. Mendel Bros. assume liabilities and will collect all outstanding debts. They will continue the business at the old stand under the firm name of L. Mendel & Bros.

I. J. KAHN,
MENDEL & BROS.

Greenville, Ky., July 26. 30-4t

Dissolution.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between P. E. & V. C. Hocker, grocers, Beaver Dam, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, P. E. Hocker, having purchased the entire interest of V. C. Hocker. P. E. Hocker will continue the grocery business at the same place.

P. E. HOCKER.
V. C. HOCKER.

28 4t

Dwelling House for Sale.

I own a fine new two-story dwelling house in Rosine, which I desire to sell for part cash, and will give good time on the remainder. Rosine is a flourishing business town, on the P. & E. R. R., and a good location for a merchant, mechanic or tobacconist.

HENRY D. MCHENRY,
24tf Hartford, Ky.

Due Notice.

Our wheat mill has already stopped and our corn mill will be stopped from and after this date. This is necessary to make needed repairs and improvements. The work will be done as quickly as possible and due notice will be given of the time of going to grinding again.

JOHN R. & WM. PHIPPS.
Hartford Water Mills.

Hymeneal.

Dr. Jas. N. Brandon, of Caneyville, and Miss Madaline Whittinghill, of Breckenridge county, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Remus Whittinghill, Thursday 22d inst., by Elder C. Voyles. The attendants were Mr. H. M. Daniel, of Caneyville, and Miss Fannie Mathews, of Breckenridge county, Mr. Willie Jones and Miss Nannie Wilson, of Fordsville, Ohio county, and Mr. J. T. Neal and Miss Lide Tilford, of Caneyville.

Complimentary.

Henry McHenry, Esq.:

DEAR SIR:—Having learned that the first prize for reading and declamation was conferred upon you at the Kentucky Military Institute, and desiring to recognize the merit of the young men of our county who have been honored abroad, we will esteem it a favor if you will, upon some occasion which suits your convenience, give a public reading of such selections as you may deem best.

E. C. HUBBARD,
SAM E. HILL,
E. DUDLEY WALKER,
S. W. ANDERSON,
And others.

Religious.

The Baptist church at Buford will hold her quarterly communion service next Sunday, (first Sunday in August,) and the pastor, Dr. Coleman, will discourse on the "Memorials of the Gospel." In the afternoon there will be a competition by members of his congregation in scripture recitation for a family Bible prize. All the exercises are expected to be of a most interesting kind. Let the multitudes come.

The Daviess County Association

Holds its next annual session with the church at Beaver Dam, Ohio county, Ky., beginning August 10, 1880.

The P. & E. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from all important stations to Beaver Dam, August 9 and 10, at 6 cents per mile for the round trip. Tickets good to return on until August 14.

The O. & N. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from all its stations to the junction on the 9th, 10th and 11th days of August at one and one-fifth fare for the round trip. Tickets good to return until August 14. J. S. COLEMAN,

Moderator of last Session.

P. S.—Those proposing to come by rail had better clip this notice and put it in their pocket-book. J. S. C.

Population of Ohio County.

The following is the population of Ohio county by districts as returned to my office by the several enumerators of the county:

Hartford	2 912
Beaver Dam	1 558
Centertown	1 651
Rockport and Cool Spring	1 941
Cromwell	1 463
Stewarts	633
Rosine	2 355
Sulphur Springs	1 080
Fordsville	2 292
Ellis	997
Bartletts	1 670
Buford	1 231
Total	19 783

Being a gain of 4,222 since 1870, or about twenty-seven per cent.

SAM K. COX, County Clerk.

The Best Offer Yet.

We will send the Hartford HERALD to any new subscriber from now to the first of the year 1881 for 75 cents, and will also give choice of our premium books. The subscription must be made before the 31st day of July, and the cash must be paid before the name is entered upon the subscription book. This is the year for Presidential, Congressional, Judicial, District and County elections, and we will keep them posted in all these matters, and all others of local or general interest. tf

Come to See Me.

Wanted, every person coming to Owensboro, who has a horse to feed, to come to J. F. Yager's stable and learn something new. Cox's old stand, one square above the Hartford road, between Main and Third Streets. 27-6m.

$100.00 Reward.

The undersigned offer a reward of $50 for the capture and conviction of Preston G. Daughety, who stole one sorrel mare from James Cook, on the night of April 13th, 1880. The State will also pay $50 reward for the capture of said thief, making a total of $100.00.

Said Preston G. Doughety is about 38 years of age, six feet and one inch high, weighs 180 pounds, dark complexion, round shouldered, down countenance and the two middle fingers on each hand are grown together, and also the two middle toes on each foot are grown together.

JAMES COOK,
WADE N. MARTIN,
30-2t and many others.

Mill Property for Sale

One-half interest in valuable mill property, consisting of a grist mill and circular saw mill, situated on Stone river six miles from Murfreesboro, Tenn., and 28 miles from Nashville. These mills are new and first-class throughout; all run by water-power, all the year round, one of the best situations for a mill in the South; lasting water-power; convenient to market and railroads. Also, one-half interest in some well-improved land, good neighborhood and everything that could be desired. Will sell the mills or exchange for real estate in Kentucky or Tennessee. Address,

4-tf S. L. EWING, Louisville, Ky.

Wool Carding.

The public are hereby informed that our carding machine has been put in first-class order in every respect, by an experienced workman, and we are now prepared to do carding with dispatch and in good order. We have secured the services of a first-class carder, and will card wool for seven cents per pound, plain, and seven and a-half per pound, mixed, or one-fifth toll. We intend to keep up with our work. So bring on your wool and take your rolls back with you the same day. We have Cate's goods for sale for cash or in exchange for wool.

Thankful for past patronage. We soicit a continuance of the same.

Grinding done every day in the week except Sunday.

Respectfully,
19-tf. JNO. R., & WM. PHIPPS.

—One of the most pleasant hops that the young people of Hartford have had the pleasure of attending for many months, was given by the young gentlemen of town last Friday night at Masonic Hall. The night was one of exceeding loveliness: the mellow moon and balmy breeze combined to make the occasion one of pleasure and delight. The Owensboro string band dispensed sweet music, and

"Light feet tripped swiftly to the viol's twang
While all the earth with mirth and music rang."

In the early part of the evening the hall was simply crowded, there being no less than two hundred persons present. So pleasant was the occasion that no notice was taken of time, and not until quite a late hour did the party adjourn. The young ladies seemed to vie with each other in beauty and dress, and let us say here that no town in southern Kentucky can surpass the young ladies of Hartford in beauty, fashion or intellect.

SUB-COMMITTEES

Appointed according to resolution:

Concord Neighborhood—Samuel Z Austin, R M Walker, Isaac N Duke, Davis Duke, Thomas H Hines, Esq.

Bethel Neighborhood—Jas P Stevens, John Oldham, W F Tatum, Montgomery Daniel, John Allen.

Muddy Creek—R W Barnes, Joseph B Sanderfur, Wm Boswell, Wm T Smith, John Chinn.

Alexander—R A Anderson, Wm Foster, G B Hocker, E P Barnett, G J Maples.

Mt. Washington—W P Bennett, C D Ralph, R P Crabtree, F M Hoover, Walker Johnson.

Beda—A Godshaw, Columbus Bennett, B L Ward, Joshua Tinsley, Jesse N Hudson.

No Creek—'Squire A B Bennett, R A Ward, H D Bennett, L S Craig, J N Sanderfur.

Goshen—P M Hocker, David A Miller, jr., D C Ross, Richard Render C M Maddox.

Beech Point, No. 74—Thos Williams, Jesse Shacklett, Elijah Miller, Geo R Ashby, Aaron T Tichenor.

Hartford—J E Rowe, Dr Jo T Miller, Judge I H Luce, John R Phipps, James F Carson, C W Massie, Dr A B Baird, jr.

Walton Creek—L C Morton, Alfred Ashby, sr., Henry Williams and Jacob T Bennett.

West Point—J D Bell, Noll Tichenor, John W Tichenor, Joel C Bennett and Wm Iglehart.

Point Pleasant—Geo Patterson, Mat Neal, Arch Patterson and J P Barnard.

Hogg's Falls—W L Hawkins, John W Baker, Isaac Withrow, Frank Robertson and Thos J Richardson.

Equality—Geo Reid, J C Iglehart, S Barnard, V D Fulkerson and Lewis Geiger.

Ceralvo—V B Morton, A T Coffman, James McIntyre, A T Williams and A J Kimbley.

West Providence—T S Bennett, S R Williams, Perry Brown, John C Fulkerson and Wm Bosquit.

Centertown—Dr G R Sanders, Frank Calvert, Wm C Wade, Jacob C Warden and Geo Rowe.

Ashby's School House—James Curtis, J Dexter, Geo Tilford, Dennis Myers and John T Rowe.

Liberty District.—John M Leach, George N Smith, H B Taylor.

Union District.—W H Austin, Richard Plummer, Harrison Austin.

Taylor Mines.—"Dock" Maddox, John Gibson, John W Thomas.

McHenry Mines.—Elijah Render, Jerry Obrieon, Sam Roll.

Goshen District.—Geo H Barnes, Emmett Taylor, Hamilton Barnes.

Beaver Dam District.—Ham Miller, H J Coleman, Thos Stevens.

The gentlemen appointed on the district committees are requested to meet as soon as possible, and organize to work for the success of the Democratic ticket, as contemplated in the resolution of the County Committee.

REPLY TO MARY ANN.

Dear Sister, Once you wrote to me
And I did not reply,
If you will excuse me now,
I'll tell the reason why.

Well, first, you see, the weeds were bad,
And then my wife got sick,
And then the candidates—gracious me,
They never were so thick.

Our party wagon's running fine,
With nothing much to jolt her,
The whole team seem to work quite well
Save Joe Haycraft, the bolter.

He's pulling back with all his might,
And rearing up, and kicking,
But that is nothing after all,
He's certain of a licking.

Our Joseph Noe will go for him
And clean his public platter,
E'en now the cloud is looming up
Which will his hopes all scatter.

Judge Little has an easy thing
To beat poor old Judge Stuart,
'Tis nothing now but empty form,
But Little's going through it.

We all are posted, now, down here,
So 'tis no use to tell us
That that man—what's name? Smith,
Will be cleaned up by Ellis.

And then the Clerk—why me alive,
That is just simply nothing,
Although there is a deal of talk,
And Fitzhugh is just frothing.

Now, Mary, I will say good bye,
Tell John to vote for Noe.
Remember me through coming time,
As your own brother Joe.

If Stuart and Little were both true Democrats we would still support Little because Stuart has had it long enough. He is getting old and infirm, while Little is of mature age, better qualified mentally and physically, and we believe in rotation in office.

Every vote cast for Stuart by a Democrat will to that extent encourage disorganization in his party, and make a bad record for such voter. The man who claims to be a Democrat but will not heed the calls of his party, but prefers to oppose organization and unity is a greater enemy of the party than the aptest manipulating Radical. Democrats, preserve your good record and vote for Little.—*Plaindealer.*

Public Record.

All we have said editorially about the sums of money paid by the State to *pro tem.* judges to do the work which Judge Stuart was elected and paid to do himself is true, and the facts were gathered from the Auditor's report and cannot be denied.

Will Adorn the Bench.

Judge Stuart has issued a characteristic card about the race which will amuse and interest his friends, including those of them who will vote against him. But it cannot obscure the fact that he is not a Democrat, and that Judge Little is not only a sound Democrat, backed by the solemn voice of his party, but an able jurist, who has occupied the bench with signal fitness on special occasions, who would adorn it at any time, and who will surely do so during the next term.—*Messenger and Examiner.*

All So.

All we have said in this issue about the allowance by Judge Stuart of $4,000 in the suit of J. B. Stevens and others against the State, and all we have said about Major Haycraft's receiving said fee, and refusing to pay his assistant counsel, is true as wholly writ and substantiated by the records in the case.

A TRUE PICTURE.

While in Owensboro recently we noticed a dashing, fine looking colored man in a fancy turn out driving over the graveled streets of the city. Our attention was attracted, and we took a careful survey of the whole rig: The horse was an excellent one, harness silver mounted, buggy elegant with fancy top of the newest and neatest make. The colored gent wore a nice plug hat, his hands were encased in elegant kid gloves, his clothes were of the best goods and latest style, got up by a popular merchant tailor, a nice breast pin glittered on his spotless shirt front, his boots were polished till they reflected equal to a first-class mirror. He sported a fancy, gold-headed cane, burnside whiskers and a Napoleonic mustache. He drew from his vest pocket a fine gold watch to which was appended a massive gold chain and ascertained the time. The whole make up of rig and driver was faultless, and got up regardless of expense. Upon inquiry we found that he was none other than George Griffith, the colored store-keeper, getting four dollars a day for carrying the keys to the warehouses of white Democrats to keep them from stealing their own whisky. We asked if this colored man was given this reward because of his faithfulness to political principles? and was informed not; that he had left Daviess county several years ago and gone South where he had made Democratic speeches and acted and voted with the Democrats, but had returned a few months ago, and was again acting with the Republicans. We asked if there were no poor, white Republicans to be found capable and willing to fill these positions, and was advised that there were several, some of whom had been applicants for these positions. Upon inquiry we found that some had been soldiers and had been wounded and not able to labor for a living, and had filled their positions efficiently and were true Republicans and deserving men. We learned that these applicants had been refused and the commission of others had been revoked without charge of inefficiency, and a colored store-keeper or two, had since been appointed and assigned to duty. The conclusion reached was that, this was done because there were about two thousand colored voters in this judicial district, and that this recognition of them and the influence of Griffith and Varian was great with the colored folks, and that their votes could thus be controlled and would be polled for Judge Stuart, the father of W. A. Stuart, the collector, who revoked the commissions of the white Republican soldiers, and refused white applicants and appointed the colored men, one of whom is indebted to his ability to give bond by Judge Stuart becoming voluntary surety. Is this conclusion far-fetched? we think not, but warranted by all the facts and circumstances in the case. White Republicans, how does this suit you?

Good Advice.

It is hinted and seriously believed that we will have a Radical candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in this Judicial District on election day, and if so, every Rad in the district will be posted in advance. Any Democrat who is lacking in the true faith, and is contemplating a vote for Joe Haycraft, is seriously reminded that by throwing his vote for Haycraft and disorganization, he may indirectly aid in the election of a Radical. Do not commit such a gross mistake.—*Plaindealer.*

We receive cheering news from Hancock county. We have heard from there several times in the past week, and the indications are plain that the Democratic standard bearers, Little and Noe, will carry the county beyond doubt. Will not the Democrats of Ohio county follow suit and roll up a handsome majority for the whole Democratic ticket.

The Republican Candidate for Sheriff Tackles a Prominent Greenbacker and Gets a Flea in His Bonnet.

A few days since, a gentleman related an amusing dialogue which occurred between David L. Smith and Dr. E. H. Whittinghill, a prominent Greenbacker of our county, as follows:

Mr. Smith.—Well, doctor, I hope you will support me as I am not the nominee of any party and am a pretty good Greenbacker myself!

Dr. W.—Well, Mr. Smith what evidence have you to offer to convince me that you are a pretty good Greenbacker?

Mr. S.—W-e-l-l, what kind of evidence do you want?

Dr. W.—I would like for you to refer me to some Greenback vote you have cast, as the best evidence.

Mr. S.—Hesitatingly—I have not voted with the Greenbackers at all as yet, but I expect to vote with them hereafter.

Dr. W.—Why, Mr. Smith did you not attend the Republican State Convention as a delegate from Ohio county, and have you not always, and persistently, voted the Republican ticket? Moreover, I understand that you are one of the most zealous of Republicans, and your party is the National enemy of mine, indeed the ruinous policy of the Republican administration of public affairs, necessitated the origin of the Greenback party, and while your party and mine are diametrically opposed to each other, the Democrats are the National friends and allies of my party, and having no candidate of my own, I shall be compelled to vote for Mr. Ellis, as the representative of by far the best friend of my party.

Mr. S.—But, Dr.——

Dr. W.—But nothing—Why, have not the Democrats and Greenbackers fused in Maine, and put a joint electoral ticket in the field? Why certainly; and they ought to unite all over the country and overthrow the Republican party, which is responsible for our hard times.

Exit Mr. Smith.

A SPLENDID ENDORSEMENT.

Judge Little Thoroughly Qualified.

He will be an Honor to the Bench.

CALHOON, KY., July 23, 1880.

Editor Herald:

DEAR SIR:—Having learned that it is being industriously circulated in other parts of the district that Judge Lucius P. Little is not qualified or competent to discharge the duties of the office of Circuit Judge; as his personal friends and acquaintances, the members of the Calhoon bar and the county officials where he was raised, and his qualifications are well known, take this means of saying to the Democracy of the district where he is not personally so well known that if elected *we can assure them* that the district will be honored and the duties of the office faithfully and efficiently discharged. It seems to us who are so well acquainted with Judge Little and his abilities as a lawyer and his qualifications and fitness for the position of Circuit Judge an imputation upon him to refer to his qualifications, which we regret the machinations of unscrupulous partizans compel us to do.

These disparaging reports are of course intended to deceive the people who do not enjoy the personal acquaintance of Judge Little.

They are also aimed at the Democratic party whose representative he is in this canvass. We trust no true Democrat or good citizen looking to the interest of the district will be deceived by these false imputations.

We know this suggestion will be a surprise to Judge Little; but none the less a duty we owe him to contradict so unjust, erroneous and ridiculous an imputation; one that he would doubtless consider too contemptible to notice, and that otherwise might go uncontradicted and thereby a fraud be perpetrated on many good citizens throughout the district. Very respectfully,

L. W. Gates, attorney at law.
Jep C. Jonson, attorney at law and ex-county judge.
G. W. Gates, attorney at law.
J. W. Johnson, attorney at law and ex-county judge.
Geo. Rudy, attorney at law and county judge.
A. W. Johnson, attorney at law and master commissioner.
L. A. Watkins, attorney at law.
J. P. Waltrip, sheriff of McLean county.
John B. Young, deputy sheriff.
J. W. White, ex-sheriff.
Lewis L. Moore, clerk McLean Circuit Court.
A. J. Moore, deputy clerk.

A SPLENDID VAULTER.

Since Major Haycraft's quadruple somersault out of the Democratic party into the heart of the Republican party, and turned in a single day from a warm party man to a denunciator of party organization, his fame as a somersaulter, has spread like fire in prairie grass. Old John Robinson, of circus fame, heard of it, and came at once upon the lightning express to secure Haycraft's services. He ran upon the Major a day or so ago, and accosted him at once, and said:

"I have heard of your fame as a leapist, and have come to secure you. Are you really a leapist entitled to the renown you have?"

Haycraft, "yes, I saw that I was beaten before the primary election, and I made the inaction of the committee in Ohio county an excuse, and got my friend Tompkins to help me, and practiced a fraud on E. L. Jones and procured a letter from him, and with the aid of those two small circumstances, I leaped clear over from before the primary election of July 3d to the election of August 2d, leaped out of the heart of the Democratic party into the sanctum sanctorum of the Republican party. Such a leap as no man but Greeley ever took, and it killed him, while it has not hurt me. I am thus in a week out of the Democratic camp, and am cheek by jowl with Bill Stuart and all these government fellers."

Old John, "well, Major, I heard also of a leap you made in the courthouse."

Haycraft, "yes, I made a magnificent leap there, which paid me big (patting a fat pocket-book), in order to get a big allowance against the State I *swore* that I *did* employ Judge Williams to help me defend the case of Bennett Stevens against the State, and made as big a showing as possible, and Judge Stuart and me knew each other, and I got it. I pocketed the grab of $4,000 and would not divide with Williams. He sued me and I went into that case and leaped clear over and swore I *never* did employ him."

Old John, "you'll do! What salary do you ask?"

Haycraft, "well, me and Judge Stuart are a kind of mutual admiration society of our own, and Stuart said my services were worth $133 per day. He and I are trying to gull the boys and get back there again, and we have got that $4,000 to help us, but we believe we will fail, and if we do, I will be up salt river next week, and will engage to you at $100 a day. Good bye, old John, and the bargain was closed.

THE COMMONWEALTH'S RACE.

Haycraft's Chances.

DAVIESS COUNTY, July 22, 1880.

Mr. John Barrett:

SIR:—Knowing your reputation for fairness I seat myself to correct some impressions that have been made relative to the vote of this county for State's Attorney place. Now, the Noe men are claiming that their man is to be elected because all the whisky men, gamblers, lawyers and "sich," are for him. I know better, and have been in to the "hub" to see "how it is" myself. There "ain't" fewer than several of the "whiskiest" men in Owensboro for Haycraft. The *last* bar room started, the one in old "court row," where the up stairs shutters are always kept closed to keep the "tiger" from jumping out the window, is very Haycraftish, and they wield a big influence among the colored as well as the white population. And there are two other reputable establishments of like "ilk" stirring up the "monkeys" for the Major. Among the gamblers the biggest one in town, and the most radical in the business, is working day and night for the Major; and he is right for it, too, for the Major knew he was too good a man to go to jail when convicted of gambling, and had the "papers" held up until he could get the good Governor to remit that part of his fine going to the State; the State is rich and did not need it; the Major did. The biggest gambling house in the Green river country, where more money is "bet, won and lost" than any other, has been in successful operation for three years and never had a single indictment against them, are for the Major and doing him a power of good among the "craft." Now, the lawyers are mostly for Noe, and so are the preachers and doctors, but one of the strongest lawyers here in politics, one who knows everybody because he has been a radical independent candidate for many vacancies, is at work hard for Haycraft among the *Democrats,* and doing good work for the Major. Then there are the negroes—they are for the Major with one accord, and they will stand to him through thick and thin, you bet. So you see it ain't so bad for the Major as has been reported. They say that the Major is too stingy to spend his money, but I tell you his barrel is being freely tapped, and we will make the boys "hop" this week and on the day of the election. We are fixing to carry Owensboro. You look out for Sunday's work and you will see the effect on Monday. I am in a hurry.

Yours,
JUSTICE.

Democrats Stand by Your Party.

In every State in the Union the Democracy is alive to the situation, and is making its organization perfect in every county and district. In Kentucky the notes of Democratic enthusiasm go up in harmony, and organization is sustained. In only one single district is a sound of discord heard, and that is a district where Democracy was wont to flourish and where it has the finest field for growth.

This discord is engendered and promoted for the benefit of two individuals. It was begun in Ohio county for the benefit of Judge Stuart, and seconded in Daviess for the benefit of Major Haycraft, and is now continued for the personal advancement of both.

That Republicans should foster it for the benefit of Judge Stuart is not strange. Judge Stuart does not claim to be a Democrat, and has consistently held aloof from the organization of the party. Democrats are aware of his attitude in the present and the past, and will leave him, as they should, to the support of his natural allies and rally around Judge Little, their own standard bearer in this contest.

The attitude of the contest for Commonwealth's Attorney imposes upon them the same duty. The fact that Major Haycraft has been a Democrat does not absolve them from the obligation. He is arrayed to-day against the organization of the party for the accomplishment of a personal advantage, and has thereby forfeited all claims to Democratic support in this pursuit. No social or personal tie—not the strongest known among men—could justify any Democrat in antagonizing Democracy to promote the Major's individual ambition. Hundreds who gave him willing support when he acknowledged allegiance to the party organization, will now consider their own duty to themselves and the party rather than his personal interest and vote for Mr. Noe, the Democratic nominee for Commonwealth's Attorney.

It may prove difficult for a few friends, who may have become strongly enlisted in the personal success of a candidate, to forgo their zeal for his success, but surely a thoughtful consideration of the subject will show that their duty to do so is plain. *The Democracy of every county has spoken.* The utterance was clear, and far more voices united in it than is usual when there is no contest. It has proclaimed Little and Noe as its nominees, and Democratic authority has sustained the proclamation. The minor details of the canvass are as nothing. Whether Mr. Jones made a mistake or not does not affect the question, and never did. His *ipse dixit* never governed the subject, and was never designed to do so. It is plain that the action of no one person can ever justify any Democrat from putting himself outside the pale of party organization. This Major Haycraft has deliberately done, and the Democracy should leave him to look alone to its enemies, who are so eagerly using his name to strike a blow to the Democratic cause.—*Messenger and Examiner.*

Greenville Female College.

We are informed that this old established institution has been re-organized and put on a non-denominational basis. An equal number of trustees have been elected from the Presbyterians, Cumberland Presbyterians, Baptists, Christian and Methodist, South. The College is to be run *entirely* free from any particular church influence, thereby making a school on which the *whole* people can have a claim and can patronize without any fear of their religious preferences being interfered with. The teachers have been employed from the different churches so far as it could be done and secure instructors of thorough culture and large experience in teaching The buildings are undergoing thorough repairs outside and within, so that by the time the fall session opens, September 6th, this College will be one of the most inviting boarding schools in the State. The buildings are to be refurnished and fitted up in first-class style. It is the design to introduce the latest improved furnaces for heating the buildings, thereby avoiding all the dirt coming from the use of stoves and fireplaces. At no time during the thirty years of the history of the school has it enjoyed a better prospect than now, with President E. W. Hall at its head. Having taught for several years in Kentucky, he is well known as one of the most thorough and successful educators in the South. An able corps of teachers have been engaged to assist him, and we are confident that those having daughters to educate cannot send them to any school where they will be more thoroughly trained and carefully guarded.

Greenville College for young men is under the management of Prof. E. W. Hall, yet it is entirely disconnected from the Female College. It is thought that the two colleges can be better governed and more successfully under the same President. Young gentlemen board in town at from $2 to $3 per week, according to accommodations. Greenville cannot be surpassed for healthfulness *anywhere* in the State. It is authoritatively stated that in the whole thirty years there has not been a single death of a student in the Female College. Parents in arranging to send their children away to school will do well to consult President Hall. The school is advertised in another column.

Pre-eminent

As an elegant hair dressing stands Parker's Hair Balsam, deservedly popular for the beautiful hair it produces, and its cleansing and healing properties. Commencing at the roots, it promotes a luxriant growth of young hair, and unfailingly restores gray or faded hair to the original youthful color, giving a soft, rich and lustrous appearance of great beauty. It is pleasantly cooling to the scalp, cleanses it from Dandruff, cures itching and humors, and stops falling of the hair. It is perfectly harmless, exquisitely perfumed, never soils the skin or gums the hair, and pleases everybody by its many excellent and attractive qualities. A patron assures us he has used 12 different hair preparations and that Parker's Hair Balsam surpases them all. Sold in large bottles, at only 50 cts. and $.100, by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky. 28-eow

Sulphur Springs.

SULPHUR SPRINGS, July 24, 1880.

Editor Herald:

The Democratic Sub-committee for Sulphur Spring voting precinct, in pursuance to a resolution adopted by the County Executive Committee, make the following appointments: Oscar T. Hines, Ansel Wilson, Wm. H. Duke, C. H. Bean, Nimrod Wilson.

A. T. HINES, President.
H. F. BEAN, Secretary.

Commissioner's Sale.

OHIO CIRCUIT COURT.

William Benton, Adm., Plaintiff.
Against Notice to file Claims.
M. E. Rowe, and al., Defendants.

All persons having claims against the estate of Francis C. Rowe, deceased, are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of said Court, at his office in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., on or before the 1st day of November next, or they will be forever barred.

This 12th day of July, 1880.

E. R. MURRELL, Mast. Com.

Sam. P. Tinsley, Plaintiff.
Against Notice to file Claims.
Sam. P. Tinsley's Heirs, Def'ts.

All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel P. Tinsley, deceased, are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of said Court, at his office in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., on or before the 1st day of November next, or they will be forever barred.

This 12th day of July, 1880.

E. R. MURRELL, Mast. Com.

James Stinnett's Adm., Plaintiff.
Against Notice to file Claims.
James Stinnett's Heirs, Defendants.

All persons having claims against the estate of James Stinnett, sen., deceased, are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of said Court, at his office in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., on or before the 1st day of November next, or they will be forever barred.

This 12th day of July, 1880.

E. R. MURRELL, Mast. Com.

John Greenwell's Adm., Plaintiff.
Against Notice to file Claims.
John Greenwell's Heirs, Defendants.

All persons having claims against the estate of John Greenwell, deceased, are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of said Court, at his office in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., on or before the 1st day of November next, or they will be forever barred.

This 12th day of July, 1880.

E. R. MURRELL, Mast. Com.

J. J. Rummage's Adm., Plaintiff.
Against Notice to file Claims.
J. J. Rummage's Heirs, Defendant.

All persons having claims against the estate of Jas. J. Rummage, deceased, are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of said Court, at his office, in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., on or before the 1st day of November, 1880, or they will be forever barred.

This 22d day of July, 1880.

28-3m E. R. MURRELL, Mast. Com.

True as Steel.

The Republicans never divide when they have a majority. No! bless you! they go the whole hog and elect their men whenever they can.—*Exchange.*

Died.

LOUISVILLE, KY., July 21.

Yesterday afternoon Captain James D. Hamilton, an old and highly respected citizen, died suddenly at his residence in this city. Captain Hamilton has been a resident of Louisville for over fifty years, during which time he has been connected with river interests between Pittsburg and New Orleans. He was a skillful pilot when steamboating was in its palmiest days. The large circle of acquaintances and friends it was his fortune to possess will be pained to learn of his sudden death.—*Commercial.*

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Proceedings of the Greenback Ratification Meeting at Morgantown.

Pursuant to call the National Greenback party of the Third Congressional District of Kentucky, met in convention, at the court-house, in Morgantown, Butler county, Kentucky, on Monday, the 12th day of July, 1880, for the purpose of ratifying the nominations of Weaver and Chambers, and to appoint an elector for said district. The meeting was called to order by Judge B. L. D. Guffy, who explained the object of the c ll, and on motion, Hon. George Wright, of Warren county, was elected permanent chairman and W. S. Taylor, of Butler county, secretary.

On motion, Azariah Sweatt, of Logan county; J. E. Bacon, of Edmonson county; Wm. W. and J. M. Cook and W. J. Holland, of Butler county, were appointed a committee on resolutions, and during their retirement a letter of greeting to the meeting from O. H. P. Snow, D. P. Wright and D. Reeves, of Clinton, was read to the meeting. Judge C. W. Cook, of Webster county, then proceeded to address the meeting in a logical and convincing argument of near two hours length. The said committee having then finished their labors reported as follows:

Resolved, That we do approve and reaffirm the nomination of J. B. Weaver, of Iowa, for President, and B. J. Chambers, of Texas, for Vice-President, made by the convention of the National Greenback party at Chicago, on June 9th, and further congratulate our party on the ability it has shown to bury all sectional issues; and realizing that our party is the only one presenting a live issue to the country, or that is seeking the advancement of the material interests of the country rather than the aggrandizement of party; we pledge our best and most earnest efforts to advance the cause of our party and elect our gallant standard bearers.

Resolved, That we respectfully suggest that both of the old parties are entirely together on every question of policy or right, and we ask all patriots to examine the issues of right that we present, and vote for right at any cost.

Resolved, That we hereby nominate O. H. P. Snow, of Clinton county, as elector for the Third Congressional District, of Kentucky, with W. S. Taylor, as assistant.

Resolved, That we call a district convention for the Third Congressional district to meet at Bowling Green, Kentucky, on Friday, the 27th day of August, 1880 to nominate a candidate for Congress.

A. SWEATT, Chairman.
J. E. BACON, Secretary.

Which resolutions were unanimously adopted without division. Thereupon Rev. G. J. Bean, of Ohio county, and Hon. George Wright, of Warren county, addressed the meeting in a few well timed remarks.

On motion, it was ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be furnished the various papers of the district for publication. Adjourned *sine die.*

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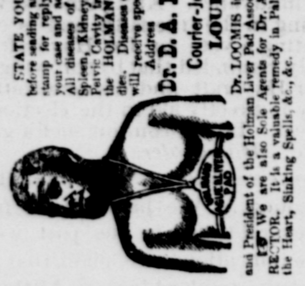

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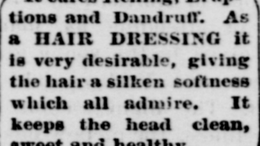

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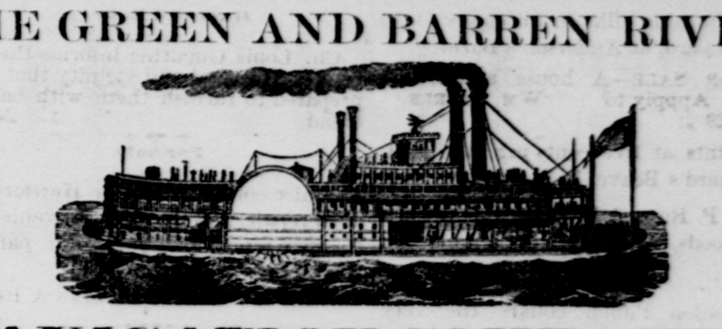

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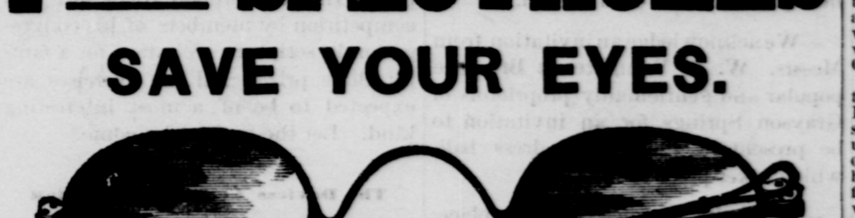

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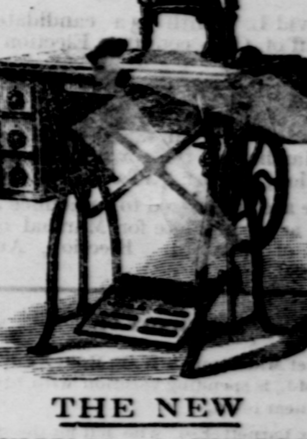

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